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Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—There is a strong feeling here that the mission of M. THIERS to the three courts will be productive of fruitful results. Shortly after his arrival in London he was visited by Lord GRANVILLE. The idea started in Berlin of converting Alsace and Lorraine into an independent Republic is regarded with favor in London, and is looked on as a condition to which both belligerents can agree.

THE AMERICAN AMBULANCE.

A letter to Dr. MARION SIMS, from the French Army, states that the American ambulance has been more useful than the others; but, as a hit at Dr. EVANS, adds, "we want everything and we have sent to England for our necessaries. What a pity that our splendid stock is locked up in the Rue de la Paix."

M. THIERS' PROPOSITIONS.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The *Times*, this morning, says: "M. THIERS comes to England pursuant to information reaching the Provisional Government, and is doubtless authorized to express the views of that Government touching peace. We hope those views may be accepted as the basis of negotiations. The conditions will probably embrace the dismantling of Metz and Strasbourg, or their occupation for three years by the Germans. If the terms are at all reasonable, England will back them."

The *Journal de St. Petersburg*, discussing the mission of M. THIERS to the neutral Powers, hopes he will carry home a conviction favorable to peace. To do so he must sacrifice many prejudices and obsolete ideas. He will then set France a great example, and make his own influence more powerful than ever.

CONSULTATIONS WITH EARL GRANVILLE.

Count ALBERT DE BERNSTORFF, the Prussian Ambassador to Great Britain, who has been in conference with Earl GRANVILLE, the English Secretary of State for the Foreign Department, at Walmer Castle, Deal, since Saturday last, returned to London this afternoon. Earl GRANVILLE, learning of the arrival at London of M. THIERS, also came into the city today, and at the hour (3½ P. M.) is in consultation with him at the French Embassy.

MINISTER CURTIN NOTIFIED.

It is noticed that the only American Minister notified of the efforts for peace on the part of Great Britain, is Mr. CURTIN, at St. Petersburg.

M. Thiers' Appearance—He Knows no Republic—Only the Government for the Defense of Paris—His Terms.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—M. THIERS arrived in England today. He looks careworn and ill, and shows a disinclination to conversation. A few words were interchanged with an old acquaintance at Dover, who inquired whether he came as accredited envoy of the French Republic. He intimated that he knew no Republic—only the Government for the defense of Paris.

There is good authority for believing that a definite proposition for peace will be offered in behalf of the Provisional Government of Paris, and that M. THIERS is authorized to lay them before the British Government, whose intervention is solicited. The terms are as follows: Payment to Prussia of the war expenses; destruction of all the forts in Alsace and Lorraine; temporary occupation of Metz and Strasbourg by the German troops until the election of an authorized Government for France and the ratification of the treaty by the proper authorities.

Developments Anxiously Awaited in Washington—An Armistice Looked For.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—No intelligence of an important character has been received here today concerning the progress of peace negotiations; but it is believed that such negotiations are in progress between France and several of the neutral Powers, and an armistice is looked for within a very few days. The developments of THIERS' mission to England are awaited with much interest.

THE BESIEGED CITIES.

Expectation that Strasbourg will Shortly Surrender—Reported Unconditional Surrender of Metz—Soissons Refuses to Surrender.

BRUMATH, near Strasbourg, Sept. 9.—The operations against Strasbourg are carried on by a slow but sure rule. Gen. LEWAHNEY, Gen. VON WOEHLER's chief of staff, says: "We do not mean to press the siege in an irregular way. It is a grand study for our scientific engineers, though a trifle stupid to those who do not understand the requirements of the science of war." He expressed the opinion that it is a matter of certainty that the place will fall about the 24th inst., barring unforeseen accidents to the works of approach. The course pursued in this siege is not entirely a matter of choice. Strasbourg is surrounded by three concentric moats eighteen feet deep. Unless the channel of the Ill can be changed, they present an insurmountable obstacle to storming. The general belief is that Gen. ULRICH will capitulate soon. The third parallel approaches completion. The first and second parallels are armed with 24-pounders; the third will be armed with 12-pounders, which, at a distance of a couple of hundred yards, can hardly fail to silence the batteries.

METZ.

LONDON, Sept. 13—2 P. M.—It is rumored in the streets here that Metz has surrendered unconditionally. While no official advices are at hand, the news is nevertheless credited at the Prussian Embassy.

SOISSONS.

The City of Soissons has refused to capitulate, in response to the summons of the Prussian commander.

BISMARCK AND NAPOLEON.

Their Interviews at Sedan—The Surrender of Napoleon—Bismarck's Official Report.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—Count VON BISMARCK's official report to King WILLIAM, dated at Donchery on the 2d inst., is published here today. He states at length an interview held with the French Emperor at Sedan, which lasted for an hour. NAPOLEON sought better conditions in the matter of capitulation than had been offered at first by the Germans.

THE QUESTION OF PEACE.

On this as a military point, Von BISMARCK refused discussion, but announced to the Emperor that he was quite willing and ready to discuss questions looking to peace. The Emperor replied that as he was a prisoner that was impossible, but referred the Count to the actual Governments at Paris. Von BISMARCK said the situation at Paris offered no entering point for such an overture. The Emperor then proposed that the French Army be allowed to pass the Belgian frontier and there surrender its arms. This was also refused.

WHY WAR WAS DECLARED.

The Emperor stated further that he deplored the horrors of war, but that he had yielded wholly to public opinion in declaring war. Von BISMARCK accompanied the Emperor to Bellevue, where Gen. VIMPFFEN was at that time negotiating with King WILLIAM relative to the capitulation. The Emperor was not allowed to see the King until the negotiations for the surrender were concluded. When these were finally announced they destroyed the Emperor's hope for better terms. The French officers were then dismissed on parole.

FRANCE AND AMERICA.

Continued Enthusiastic Demonstrations in French Cities—Minister Washburne Everywhere Honored—Opinion of Our Policy.

TOURS, Sept. 12.—The people are much impressed in favor of the American Government, and anxiously await the arrival of Minister WASHBURNE, that they may testify their gratitude for her prompt recognition of the Republic.

DEMONSTRATION IN MARSEILLES.

An imposing demonstration was made in Marseilles, yesterday, in honor of the United States. Twenty thousand people assembled in front of the American Consulate, and the city authorities, through M. ESQUIROS, presented an address to MILTON M. PRICE, the Consul of the United States. Speeches were made, the bands played the national airs of America and France, and the numerous crowd cheered with great enthusiasm the Consul and the Government of the United States.

ENTHUSIASM AT HAVRE.

PARIS, Sept. 13.—The American Consul at Havre was saluted by a succession of enthusiastic demonstrations. Very great excitement still prevails at Paris and other Continental capitals regarding American mediation.

ENGLISH AND GERMAN OPINION.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The Telegraph's Paris correspondent says that American recognition is really but little valued, there, and is regarded more as the good-will of a Power without material weight in the European system.

The *Independance Belge* says that the policy of the American Government occasions no surprise, considering the close intimacy of Minister BANCROFT and Count BISMARCK. It is doubtful, however, in Berlin, that Mr. BANCROFT has made any representations in favor of mediation.

LONDON, Sept. 13—Midnight.—Mr. WASHBURNE, the American Minister, in response to another popular demonstration in Paris, said the French were entitled to expect the largest moral support.

PARIS.

Movements of Foreigners and Residents in the City—Proclamation from the Department of Justice—Prussian Rumors.

TOURS, Sept. 12.—This city is overcrowded with Parisians and foreigners, who flight from Paris has been hastened by the proclamation permitting none to leave after the 17th inst. Many Americans are among the refugees. A large number of Government employes have also arrived here with the transfer of their respective departments.

PROCLAMATION.

The delegate of Minister CREMIEUX, now acting here at the head of the Department of Justice, has issued, in the name of the Minister, a proclamation to France. He says as the enemy approaches Paris, the government of the national defense bends all its energies to providing for the security of the capital. They have, therefore, charged the Minister of Justice with the care of the invaded departments. The delegate of the Minister of Justice, in common with the other Ministerial delegates now at Tours, appeals to the patriotism of the population to erect an impregnable rampart against the forces of invasion. He recalls the memories of 1792 and declares France must and will drive back now, as then, the enemy which a previous Government, weak and odious, allowed to invade the land.

It is reported that some Prussian spies have been arrested here.

TRANSFERRING IT TOURS.

TOURS, Sept. 12.—The arrangements making here to receive the Diplomatic body have been discontinued. As the Minister of Foreign Affairs has decided to remain in Paris, the representatives of the foreign Governments will also stay there some days longer.

PARIS, Sept. 12.—The staff of the Ministry of the Interior has reached Tours.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Position of the Revolting Austrian Prince—Bismarck to Charlotte Thiers—Prussian Rumors.

PARIS, Sept. 12.—It is said the main body of the Prussian army of a point within twenty-eight miles of Paris yesterday afternoon. The exact position of the advance is not known. According to various accounts the enemy has arrived at Meaux, Lagny and Melun. The Prussians appeared at Provins, in the Department of Seine-et-Marne, on Monday week, and also at Laval, Tracy and Gallardon, in the Department of Oise.

On Sunday a Prussian reconnoitering party encountered a body of French at Chateau Thierry. A sharp engagement occurred, and the Prussians were repulsed with considerable loss.

PRUSSIA AND THE REPUBLIC.

LONDON, Sept. 12.—The *North German Gazette* says Prussia is not bound to recognize the French Provisional Government; and the *Prussian Cross Gazette* says if Prussia does so today she will be obliged to recognize BONAPARTE's friends tomorrow.

The Ex-Emperor and the Prince at Hastings—Dubiety in Exile—The Regalia Not Recaptured by Prussia.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The Empress EUGENIE and the Prince Imperial are still at the Marine Hotel, in Hastings. A number of servants of the Imperial household, two carriages, and twenty-three horses, arrived at Hastings, yesterday, by special train. The Prince goes out frequently, and mingles freely with the people, and is already popular with all classes.

PARIS, Sept. 13.—Portugal has recognized the French Republic. Russia is more decided than ever in opposing the dismemberment of France, and will propose a Congress to settle the terms of peace.

AID FOR GERMANY.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—The Manager of the German Ladies' Sanitary Festival, today, remitted to Berlin $15,700 for equal distribution to the families of the Landwehr soldiers of North and South Germany. The proceeds of the festival so far are about $65,000.

French's Impudence—A Portion of France to be Annexed to Germany as a Military Frontier—Spanish Volunteers for France—Effects of the War on China.

MUNICH, Sept. 12.—Prussia has formally notified Bavaria of her intention to annex to Germany a portion of France as a military frontier.

MARSEILLES, Sept. 13.—Bands of Spanish volunteers in the French service are marching through the city, carrying the French and Spanish flags.

PARIS NOTES.

PARIS, Sept. 13.—The Paris papers retain their former prices, notwithstanding the abolition of the stamp duty, because advertising patronage is destroyed and paper is invaluable....There is an active inquiry preceding at Paris into the distribution of the vast secret service fund of the Empire....The Paris *Figaro* regards the tender of American mediation as the opportunity for peace....The Ex-Queen ISABELLA of Spain, with the Prince ASTURIAS, have withdrawn to Bavaria.

LONDON NOTES.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—Late dispatches from China report that the war in Europe has nearly suspended business of all sorts in China....The Prussian Government has thanked Mr. WASHBURNE for extending assistance to the Germans in France.

CITY WAR NOTES.

The French National Subscription.

The French Committee for the collection of funds in aid of the wounded French soldiers, yesterday published its sixth subscription list, showing that since the last subscription list was published, a week ago, $784 25 have been collected by the Committee, which have been raised by the French in various parts of the country, as previously detailed in the TIMES, exclusive of a chest for $9,075 42 gold, transmitted by the French at Washington. Since the opening of the subscription, the Committee has collected $20,494 42, exclusive of the amounts transmitted directly, which would swell the whole amount to nearly $25,000. A new impulse, it is hoped, will be given to the French patriotic subscription by the public meeting, which will come off at the Apollo Rooms to-morrow. M. PILLOY, on behalf of the French at Houston, has made another remittance of $200 in addition to previous remittances. The employes of the firm of MEROCHE & CO. collectively contributed $125 in addition to the sum previously contributed, the representatives of the firm having contributed the sum of $500. The committee reports that the collections at Quebec have reached the sum of $1,320, and that more than that has been raised at Montreal. Subscriptions have also been opened, the committee reports, at Trois Rivieres and at Ottawa, Canada.

The German War Fund Collections.

The Subscription Committee of the New-York Turnverein, composed of Messrs. WETTEKE, KUNZE and RAUHE, reports that members, who are supplied with subscription lists, are in number, have paid over to the Committee $686 50, of which, in accordance with a resolution passed by the Turnverein, $500 will be transmitted through the Consulate to Dr. BUNCHOLTZ, president of the Inner Sanitary Corps, stationed at Darmstadt, Germany. The funds to be collected by the Turnverein hereafter will be turned over to the treasurer of the general fund in this City. The collections by the Turnverein are vigorously continued.

The German Society of the Fifth Ward, organized for the purpose of aiding the wounded, in the Twenty-second Ward up to date, $1,100 has been raised. This evening the Secretary of the General Committee of the German War Aid Societies of the City and vicinity will meet at Liederkranz Hall, to take action in reference to an address to the people of Germany and the German soldiers, which has been prepared by the Executive Committee.

France-Irish Demonstration at Jones' Wood—Music, Dancing and Jollity—Five Thousand People Present.

The France-Irish demonstration at Jones' Wood yesterday in aid of the wounded soldiers of the French Army and rather more numerously attended than the similar demonstration on the part of the Germans a few weeks ago, but neither festival can be regarded as a very brilliant success. It is evident that the more sober-minded sympathizers with both of the contending forces were not disposed to cooperate very heartily in the Jones' Wood demonstration, preferring to manifest their sympathy and bestow their charity in a more quiet way. The preparations for the German festivities were on a far more extensive scale than that of yesterday, and the adornments of the Belvidere and the grounds about the Park were far more elaborate and costly. But the France-Irishmen made up for the lack of outward show by inward enthusiasm, and their boisterousness compensated for their want of pennons and bunting. As between the Irish and French, the former appeared to be far more numerous and enthusiastic. They constituted, probably, three-fourths of all that attended the demonstration.

A procession, led by the France-Irish Association, and numbering 2,000 or 3,000 people, accompanied by the Fifty-sixth Regiment, N. Y. N. G., formed at 12 o'clock in front of the Grand Duchess Assembly Rooms, in West Thirteenth-street, and marched to the music of Keating's Band to Jones' Wood. The line of march was through Broadway to Fifth-avenue, thence through Fourteenth-street to Union-square, where they marched twice around the statue of Washington. They then marched through Fourteenth-street to Third-avenue, up Third-avenue to Sixty-fifth-street, and thence to Jones' Wood, arriving at the Park about 3 P. M.

After arriving at the Wood the company succeeded at once to divert themselves by indulging in Terpsichorean exercises, using the swings, practicing in the shooting-gallery, and exercising themselves in divers sports and pastimes. An excellent string band furnished the instrumentation for the dancers. At times the crowd sang the "Marseillaise," the band furnishing an instrumental accompaniment. The thousands who joined in this patriotic song made the Belvidere ring with its echoes—the Minstrel imitation of the air being, however, somewhat different from that of their eco-Celtic brethren who sanned their version of it in "La Belle France." In order to compliment the France-Irishmen, who behaved most materially to swell the demonstration, the band supplemented the "Marseillaise" by playing "Phaudeen O'Rafferty," "Boy O'Moore," "The Harp That Once Through Tara's Halls," and other airs familiar to the Milesian ear, in the rendering of which the male portion of the crowd very generally joined. It was after dark before the company dispersed.

GERMANY.

Blue Mutter to Chancellorship of the Minister and Premier.

The German people in general, and Count BISMARCK in particular, have found a champion in Mr. MAX MULLER, who, in a letter to the London Times, which file two columns, contends that the Prussian Premier has done nothing to forfeit the good opinion of England. It does follow that he opposed Count BISMARCK's appointment because he did not personally approve and make them public. A Bavarian Minister is not like a private individual. He stands in the position of counsel for his country. An advocate may refuse to hold a brief for any particular client, but having once accepted it he is bound in honor to think of the interest of his client, and to have it on the other side to discover and defend the weak points of his case. A foreign Minister is bound by the simplest rules of prudence not to disclose many a secret of state, and consequently he has to listen to proposals of compromise, and, for argument's sake, to take into consideration even absurdities which, as a man of honor, he might instantly decline to entertain. Do you suppose, Mr. MAX MULLER asks, "that Lord PALMERSTON had never to listen for a moment to suggestions as to the throne being offered to Prince Alfred, and was he driven from office by an indignant people?" But Prof. MULLER goes further, and says that unless Sir HARRY VERNEY (to reply to whom the letter is written) can produce evidence pro and contra to the contrary, he must believe Sir HARRY and agree with everybody that since 1866 Count BISMARCK's policy has been patriotic and peaceful, some rare days, though, he denies, excepted, and now, Germany, had it be granted, everybody who had tried to unite it had failed; BISMARCK succeeded. His policy could not be in all respects strictly regular, but it does, are in the history of all countries great convulsions when one cannot criticise according to the ordinary rules of right and wrong. We do not criticise thunderstorms that darken heaven and earth, strike down palaces, and carry off the harvest of peaceful villages. We do not criticise the fate that makes us know that Nature cannot do without them, and that when they are past the air will be purer, and we shall breathe again more freely than before." Count BISMARCK has believed war to be inevitable since the battle of Sadowa, but he has constantly contented himself to put it off, hoping that something might turn up in France which would avert the necessity. "He did not by abruptly refusing to listen to any more proposals wish to drive the Emperor to a decided policy. We can well imagine with what bitter scorn in his heart he could inwardly exclaim, 'If you must, you must!' Is something so quiet the people of France, why there is Belgium, there is England, or Spain. Why do you not take them?' Did he promise to help us these adventures? Did he lend himself to furnish one single soldier? Did he betray Belgium by a secret treaty? Did he deceive or act disloyally towards England?" Mr. MAX MULLER refuses to believe that England and Germany can ever be at enmity. "If Germany conquers, a new era of peace will dawn on Europe; for Germany, if once united, would tolerate no war on the Continent. An army in both every second man is the father of a family is the best guarantee for the peace of the world. There need be no formal alliance between England and Germany. The two nations are one in all that is essential, in morality, in religion, in love of freedom, in respect for law. They are both hard workers, hard thinkers, and, where it much be, hard fighters too. In the whole history of modern Europe Germany and England have never been at war; I feel convinced they never will be, they never can be."

The Protest Against Intervention.

The following is the text of the address to the King agreed upon at the Berlin meeting held to protest against foreign intervention: "Please your Majesty! When war seemed inevitable the nation rallied unanimously round your Majesty and your allies. It swore to endure faithfully to the end in the struggle for the security, unity and greatness of our German Fatherland. God has blessed the arms which have been wielded with unexpanded bravery for the cause of justice. Victories have been gained with streams of our nobles' blood, but they have brought us near the proposed end with unexpected rapidity. Enormous efforts must still be made. The German people are willing to make any sacrifice for national objects; but in the midst of this earnest and elevated mood we are disturbed by ever-recurring reports that the foreign intervention, which did not know how to ward off the horrors of war, is now endeavoring to limit the reward of our struggle according to its own ideas. The excellent feeling of Germany has succeeded the glorious rising of our fathers still lives fresh in our memories, and warns Germany to consult only the requirements of her own welfare. We therefore again approach your Majesty, relying upon your wisdom for the exclusion of all foreign influence, and for the creation of a state of things which shall give better security than hitherto for the peaceable conduct of a neighboring nation, lay the foundations of unity and liberty for the entire German people, and secure the same against all attacks."

"Wishes With Regard to Alsace and Lorraine."

The *Provincial Correspondence* publishes an article headed "Germany's wishes with regard to Alsace and Lorraine." The article says: "These provinces, which were torn away from the German Empire, have become France's chief points of support for measuring attacks upon Germany. How should it be possible, after the glorious victories of the German Army, after the re-conquest of two old German provinces and after the heavy and costly sacrifices by which our triumph has been gained, how should it be possible to avoid the irresistible conviction that the honor and the safety of Germany imperatively demand the removal of this hostile point of attack against Germany, or at least the stipulation for German military occupation? The European Powers, true to the attitude of neutrality which they have assumed, will not arbitrarily endeavor to arrest the consequences of the war, so long as no essential European interest is not injured by the conditions of the treaty of peace. The German people, however, is conscious that in its demand it does not seek any preponderance over other nations which might endanger the so-called European equilibrium, but that it seeks only a firmly-established peace, which it intends to secure against the attacks of nations from the old enemy of the peace of Europe."

WAR NOTES.

L'Industriel Alsacien gives a sad story of the bombardment of Strasbourg. A shell fell in the house of a widow named Kuss, living in the Rue de l'Ancien-Cloi. Seven young girls were killed and four others wounded.

The Prussians have just driven the poor old Baroness DE REUMONT from her chateau for the third time. They first forced her to fly in '72, then again in 1814, and now at the age of ninety-four she is once more obliged to abandon her home. The Baroness lives a few miles from Montmédy, at the chateau of Grand-Verneuil, where apartments were prepared for Queen Louise XVI. during her flight. They were never occupied by the unfortunate monarch, who was stopped at Varennes.

A private letter from Paris relates that the Duc DE GRAMMONT, who has taken to spending his evenings at the Jockey Club, was lately asked their "How he came to be so blue, for such a fatal war?" He replied: "I asked the Minister of War, LEBOEUF, if he was ready, and he answered, 'Ready! Aye, and doubly ready!' Otherwise," added the Duc, "I should have taken care not to have counselled a war which there were twenty modes of averting."

Prince PIERRE BONAPARTE, according to the *Daily News*, has been busily working for the dynasty on Corsican. He has recruited there an army of about 1,000 men, who, gradually in small parties, have all arrived at Marseilles. Their mission is to spread themselves about the country, and inculcate the idea that the Emperor, who has been deceived and betrayed by EMILE OLLIVIER and certain Generals, will yet be the savior of France, and that as a proof of his single-minded patriotism he is quite ready, in pursuance of his invariable principles, to submit his case to another plebiscite.

According to a correspondent of the Manchester Guardian the siege of Pfalsbourg has become the romance of the war, and Col. DE FAILMOUNT, its intrepid commandant, has become in the popular imagination, its hero. This gallant soldier is a relative of the Duc de Istria Minister; and has shown qualities which, if he survives, may carry him to the highest distinction. The belagerers are so impressed with the spirit and skill of his defense of the fortress that they offered him, last week, leave to march out with all the honors of war if he would surrender; and the Crown Prince, in a temper that reminds us of the sig-

nal of the Crusades, has conveyed to send a message to the Emperor of the French justifying his admiration of Col. DE TALMOUET's conduct, and begging that he may be decorated and promoted as he deserves.

The *Revue Contemporaine*, in an article with the title "Douzes de la Guerre de 1870," observes, in reference to the new treaty on the subject of Belgium, which has been concluded by England with both Prussia and Prussia: "This solution plainly shows that since the publication of the famous projected treaty, notwithstanding the letter of Count BISMARCK, and in spite of the declaration of the Duke of GRAMMONT, the contradictions of the official journal, and the accounts of Chislehurst, the original project which has been published by Saxland with both Prussia and Prussia.

WAR LETTERS.

THE MILITARY SITUATION.

The Prussian Cavalry Scouring Through the Country—Catholic Churches Robbed and Desecrated—Thermopylæ of France—The Prussians' Plan of Campaign.

From a Military Correspondent.

PARIS, Tuesday, Aug. 30, 1870.

Although making no marked advance upon the French Capital, the Prussian cavalry is running at will through Champagne, clearing the roads of straggling soldiers and cutting the telegraph wires where there are any to cut. As a general thing these achievements amount to nothing, but they give data to military reports, and furnish details highly relished by the people, who read the journals at home. Spreading over a vast part of country, but always well protected by infantry, these bands of Uhlans roam about, committing depredations of all sorts, and striking terror into the hearts of women and children. They have never yet sought a conflict with the French cavalry where the numbers were anything like equal. A regiment of these men is now marching down from the Aube, and have already appeared upon the line of railroad to Lyons. It is said that a train of troops was attacked, night before last, from the heights of Montereau. Shots were exchanged, and a few were killed and wounded, but the enemy was soon driven away. It is also announced that bands of Uhlans have made dashes into Bar-sur-Seine, Payns and Estissac, upon the Aube. The worst feature of these raids is that the Catholic Churches are robbed and desecrated, the image of the Virgin broken or ruined, and the sacred relics so dear to the hearts of the simple country people, utterly destroyed. Where any large number of soldiers have been assembled, the Catholic symbols have been torn away, and the pulpits occupied by Lutheran clergymen. What a deep wound this has been to the people the Catholics of America can well understand.

EFFECTIVENESS OF ARTILLERY.

Previous to the outbreak of this war there was a great deal of speculation as to the probable effect of modern artillery upon fortified towns. It was supposed that none of these strong places could hold out against strong attacking armies. These ideas were based upon a certain amount of reason, but without reference to technical detail. It is yet to be seen if such towns can hold out against parallels armed with heavy siege guns; but as invading army cannot carry such guns on its march, nor can it stop long enough before places of minor importance to mount heavy siege artillery. Experience has already given us evidence of the value of these fortifications, and several towns are now successfully resisting a most determined siege, retarding a large force of the enemy. If fortifications of not even second-class importance can produce such results, how can the Prussians hope to carry the strong forts of Paris, defended by the bravest population in the world? How can they hope to do anything against such strong works, so well manned, when operating at so great a distance from the base of supplies? It is a violation of all the rules of warfare to enter into a hostile country leaving behind such fortified places as Strasbourg, Toul, Metz and Verdun, and although it has been done, I do not remember an instance where it was not attended with great danger and annoyance.

THERMOPYLÆ OF FRANCE.

The Prussians have already appeared at Verdun, and have scattered their forces through the country around, cutting off routes and occupying certain positions. They seem to have understood very well that it would not do to let McMAHON and BAZAINE unite their forces in the passes of Argonne, and they have hastened to possess themselves of that grand and historic forest, so justly called the Thermopylæ of France. Bodies of Uhlans have been seen there, turning toward Sainte Menehould, and from there toward Varenne and Clairmont, while on this side they have roamed along the Argonne as far as Lilloy to the junction between the road from Chalons to Sainte Menehould, by the so-called Roman road, with that from Rheims to Bar-le-Duc. But in all of these raids—mere reconnoissances, I presume, as a general thing—they have avoided a collision with the French outposts. The passes and forests of Argonne are of no little historic interest. At every mile between the Meuse and the Marne one finds a natural rampart and bastioned field works, which need not the strengthening hand of art, and the strength of this formidable forest has been fully illustrated already by the great campaigns of Dumouriez and Valmy. Broad tracts of almost impenetrable woodlands stretch away, broken by peaks and ravines, and showing here and there a pass which could be used. Yet, from Stenay to Bar-le-Duc, there are but six defiles through which troops could be safely carried—those of Chene-Populeux, La Croix-aux-Bois, Grand Pré, Vienne-le-Château, La Chalade, and Les Islettes. The best, or least difficult, of these passes is that of Grand-Pré, uniting Lorraine with Champagne; and if the Prussians advance by that route, they will follow in the footsteps of their ancestors, who forced this pass in 1792. It was a different thing then, for in a few hours this pass could now be made very strong; and as for the others, they are impregnable, when properly defended. The battle-ground of Valmy is in the environs of St. Menehould, and it will be remembered that this spot was once fatal to the Prussians. It was here that the French, under KELLERMAN, defeated them in 1792, and compelled them to evacuate France. The main route rises after the village of Clermont in long ridges, which overlook the surrounding country, and on either side are deep gorges and valleys, the tops of the trees in which barely come to the level of the road. Above, the view is stopped by a thick continuous wall of trees, which would furnish shelter to thousands of marksmen. The village of Islettes is situated upon this ridge, and one or two batteries planted upon its walls could effectually sweep the pass and the plains below. So far as appearances go, there is no way of turning this ridge of hills with its succession of gorges; and it would be impossible to cross with artillery and wagon trains. Holding Sainte Menehould, it would be easy to control these passes—they would be, in fact, in the hands of the French. All of this country also abounds in hardy hunters, accustomed to wild-boar chasing, and unerring marksmen. To pass here would be fatal; to make a detour to avoid these passes would be to give the line which McMAHON asks.

ANOTHER PRUSSIAN ADVANCE.

Upon the other side of Metz, the Prussians are also advancing, spreading out in all directions, as if trying to devastate as large a tract of country as possible. They have been seen at Longwy, a fortified town toward the Belgian frontier. On Saturday the town was summoned to surrender, but refused the demand, and the Prussian Army will now find one more obstacle to contend with. The works of Longwy were planned by VAUBAN, in 1682, and LOUIS XIV. was so pleased with the town and its defenses, that he gave it the name of the "Iron Gates of France." I do not know what used gardens there now in Longwy, but it is said to be prepared for a siege, and it will seriously retard the enemy's advance, while serving as a constant menace in case of a retreat. Longwy sustained a severe bombardment in 1815, and a noble resistance on the part of Gen. DUCOS gained him honorable terms of capitulation.

GENERAL MOVEMENTS.

Of the general movements of troops around Metz, since McMAHON joined BAZAINE, we have no particular information; but we do know that large bodies of men are pouring up the line to Soissons and St. Menehould. A gentleman informs me that he was blocked up the whole day waiting for the passage of the troop-convoys, and says that the entire line is encumbered with trains carrying men to the front. Best of all, was the fact that these were old soldiers and not raw recruits. The rest of the troops which have been stationed in Home arrived last night, and bivouacked near the railway-station. They leave today by the Northern line, at 12 o'clock. Last night, twenty thousand soldiers left this city to join McMAHON. Yesterday, saw thousand Breton volunteers arrived, nearly all old soldiers, in blouses, with some students, and all armed with the Chassepot. There has been such a steady stream of troops pouring through the city, for the past week, and it is impossible to keep count of them, and no one now sees enough to believe that it only wanted a delay to the 26th to make France ready. I need not add that we attend with calmness, but with impatience, the result of McMAHON's move.

W. R.

The Impending Battle—Minor Engagements—A Prophecy Confirmed—A New Army.

From a Military Correspondent.

PARIS, WEDNESDAY, Aug. 31, 1870.

This morning the idea seems to prevail that a great battle has been fought, or will be fought today, by the combined forces of Marshals McMAHON and BAZAINE. It must be confessed that there is reason for this rumor, for it seemed hardly probable that the Duc DE MAGENTA could make an important movement without being vigorously and promptly attacked by the enemy. Doubtless that, involved from this direction have reported heavy cannonading, and thus naturally gave rise to reports of general engagements and of victories. But up to a late hour last night there was nothing to sustain these rumors. On the contrary, we receive positive information that up to this time the great conflict has not come. Yet there has been fighting between the outposts of both armies, with losses which show how well contested these fields have been. But the details of these engagements have not yet arrived, and you will have a telegraphic account from Prussian sources before we can really sift the truth from mere rumor. Up to this time the enemy has made no progress. The march upon Paris seems to be stopped for the moment, and McMAHON continues his movement without having serious engagements. Chalons has been evacuated by the Prussians, the troops which occupied it diverging toward Rethel, and the line of railway to Rheims, but it is hoped to keep open railway communications with both of these towns.

MINOR ENGAGEMENTS.

The passes of Argonne has been the scene of these minor engagements. On Saturday the enemy was pushing forward toward Rethel and Vouziers, driving by Montfaucon, Grand-Pré and Croix-aux-Bois, and before venturing into these strong passes they shelled the woods in every direction for several hours. It was probably only when they tried to carry the heights that the French outposts revealed itself. But it seems that McMAHON did not intend to fight there, and the enemy has advanced by the route which I designated yesterday. Although there is nothing to show that they have carried the strong heights of Islettes, the position of certain troops leads me to suppose so. The French troops which had been concentrated at Rethel were carried along a line toward Monthois, and this would seem to indicate that McMAHON has formed his line further back toward Stain. But this is under the supposition that McMAHON intends to fight. If he is still working for time, after having been joined by BAZAINE, he will at once fall back upon Rethel, and gain for a certainty two more days of delay before the Prussian column can be put in motion. If his movement was a mere feint, he has accomplished his object; and if the reports are true that the Crown Prince is at Monthois, while Prince FREDERICK CHARLES is near Stain, McMAHON has already withdrawn his own and BAZAINE's forces from that section. I am disposed to think that this is the true state of affairs, and that by to-morrow McMAHON will begin to echelon his army along a line from Rethel to Hermonville and Chateau-Thierry. This also bears out my former idea that the French Generals mean to fight near Paris, and that they will find their best battle-ground upon the banks of the Seine. Should this be true, let us give credit to McMAHON for a bold and brilliant movement, all the more creditable to his genius because carried out without loss. He has pushed down between two immense armies to relieve BAZAINE; he has stopped the Prussian advance for many days; he has forced them to diverge from their planned route, and now, strongly reinforced on all sides, he comes to choose his fighting position. If he has succeeded in escaping a great battle, and has accomplished his purpose, he is entitled to more real credit than if he had gained a bloody victory. It seems now as if it were true that "McMAHON's movement has been carried out with success." Then the enemy will again begin his advance, and from this hour his progress will be slow and toilsome. Some unusual preparations for retarding him is hinted at; but, at any rate, there will be a band of desperate men between the enemy and the capital. The Gardes Nationales Lodentaires, of Aisne de Loire and Marne, are organizing a vigorous resistance, and I am convinced that the road to Paris will no longer be an easy road to travel. Strasbourg, although it has greatly suffered, still holds out bravely. Its fine library has been burned, its famous church towers destroyed, but there are no signs of yielding, and among all the interior fortresses, not one has yet been taken which the French have tried to defend.

A NEW ARMY.

SIR: P. M.—A new army is now forming at Lyons, its present effective strength being one hundred thousand men. Last night a regiment of Turcos, three regiments of infantry, one of cavalry and two batteries of artillery left Paris and its immediate environs for the camp of Sartory. This is near Lyons, where this new army is forming. Of course, it will always be in position to operate upon the enemy's left, to harass in many ways the line of communications, and, in the event of a retreat, this army will make a base of Dijon, and do terrible execution. All that is wanted now is a little more time, as I have already remarked, and McMAHON's bold movement toward Metz has given many days. As I write these last words, news comes that BAZAINE has crossed the Meuse. This is a complete confirmation of the situation as I gave it this morning. Now, I presume, the Prussians will begin their march again upon this city, but under circumstances far more favorable to the French, who will choose their battle-ground near the walls of the capital.

W. R.

DEFENSE OF PARIS.

The Work on the Fortifications—The Napoleon Guns—Barricades and Mitrailleuses—Mobilization—The Wives of Vicennes—Say the City Changes Hand Ownership, Changes—The Red-Cross Flag—Signal Codes, &c., &c.

From a Military Correspondent.

PARIS, Wednesday, Aug. 31, 1870.

Although the work upon the fortifications still goes on, I have been told that everything is now ready in case of need; but there is always something to do about a place of military importance. Even in times of peace the men in our Navy-yards give keep constantly busy, and any one who has paid a visit to one of these stations, and observed the neat and perfect condition of everything, will understand why constant labor is required. But so far as the necessary work goes, I believe that Paris is ready. Yesterday, of working side strength, for heavy guns are mounted in certain positions upon the ghacis, where only field batteries were at first intended. These guns are protected by fascines and sand work, which, mounted on barrels, and the giacis left unincumbered behind. It will be seen that in case the heavy guns should be dismounted by the enemy's artillery fire, the space would still be open to guns of smaller calibre. For a distance of from 800 to 1,200 yards I do not know a more servicable gun than the Napoleon—a gun which, take it all in all, really did more execution in our war than any other. It is a gun easily managed and handy for for all purposes. If an artillery officer can be sure of his range, and is supplied with the varieties demanded, this gun may be used with terrible effect from 1,200 yards down. I have seen several batteries of these guns pushed near the works, and in positions where they could be run upon the glacis and put in working order in from six to eight minutes. With shrapnel or canister these guns are simply terrible. I may have had remark a fact which is not yet generally known. A great deal has been said about the *mitrailleuse*, and the general impression is that it is some ten times more effective and deadly than other guns. This is a mistake. With all its advantages, it is not, in the field, the formidable thing we have been led to believe. The Indian Gatling field gun, in the last Woolwich experiments, when served with time-fuzed shell, did as good execution as the *mitrailleuse*, but the latter was more accurate in its fire. In the same space of time the bronze howitzer would throw nearly double the number of balls—in round numbers say four hundred at each discharge—but scattering them over a greater space. To my mind this is an advantage. It is one thing to fire at a target or at a lot of condemned horses standing quietly before the gun, and another thing to fire at men in motion, the position of each being in a constant state of change. I have yet to see the superiority of the *mitrailleuse*, and I have seen the gun from its very birth, being on a commission to examine it in its early and crude state, when it was even dangerous to fire it; but since it has been perfected, and is beyond all question an effective and terrible gun. Still, I repeat that I have yet to see its vast superiority over the bronze howitzer, with the present excellent shell. I venture to say that the bow-lines placed upon the walls of Paris will do far more real work than the *mitrailleuse*. Do not understand that I am trying to disparage this fine gun; on the contrary, I believe that it has a future, and that one more turn of the inventor's crank will bring it out a weapon of great practical value.

BALLOON SERVICE.

The question of balloon service has again come up, and the personnels who have been trying to get service in this war are preparing their gas. The Germans, also, are not going to be behind in the matter of balloons, and WELLER has received a letter from Count BISMARCK saying that his offer of service will be accepted. On this side we have two of the best balloonists in the world—men of experience in their line, and thoroughly scientific. M. NADAR has offered to organize a balloon service, with the help of MM. DARTOIS and DUBRON, and place it at the disposition of the commandant of Paris. It will be remembered that it was these three experienced aeronauts who made the ascension in the "Géant," when they visited Lyons, Brussels and Amsterdam. M. NADAR has three powerful balloons on hand, which he will immediately put upon a war footing. Further, upon the left bank of the Seine, we have M. GODARD, whose name will also be familiar to American magazine readers, the aeronaut to the Emperor. He, too, will organize a service of balloons, but the two services, although having the same end and aim, are to be separate and distinct organizations. Is it because military authority fails to heal the wounds of professional jealousy and envy? Of the value of this service there can hardly be a doubt, for, except in the very centre of the city, there are no high points for observation, the towers of Notre Dame being only about 200 feet in height. There are very few buildings which could really be used as observatories in case of a siege, and balloons would seem to be most useful on this side.

THE STREETS OF PARIS.

Our streets now present a curious spectacle, owing to the immense number of trucks and wagons indented with flour which block up all of the narrow ways. Last night I saw a train of over fifty wagons, each carrying some thirty barrels of flour, going toward the ware-house of the Seventh Arrondissement. This morning the same train was there, and I was told that all night long men were busy unloading these trucks. Large loads of hay and straw are also seen, with wagon-loads of homely country furniture coming in for safety, with here and there flocks and herds of sheep and beeves. On all sides we have evidences that the provisionment of Paris is going on at a wonderful rate. Yesterday the Minister of Commerce and Agriculture visited the Bois de Boulogne, where in one vast park are shut up 40,000 beeves and more than 180,000 sheep. It is a curious sight, and attracts a crowd of visitors. From there M. DUVERNOIS went to examine the provision depot at La Villette, giving instructions for further work in the commissariat line.

THE GERMAN EXODUS.

The three days allowed the Germans in Paris expires today, and all found here to-morrow without a special permit to remain will be treated as spies; not only that, they will have to run a constant risk of being attacked by the mob. The *Figaro* of this morning has a very violent article upon the favoritism shown in some cases, for it seems that many Germans of wealth and position have been allowed to remain. I speak of this matter incidentally only, knowing that your other correspondents will give the details, and for the purpose of condemning the *Figaro's* appeal to the passions of the mob. It says boldly that the people will themselves act as Police with these people, which is nothing more nor less than stirring up enmity against all strangers. The writers on that paper should be above so petty a thing as an appeal to such license. It is asserted by the *Figaro* that M. PIETRI, our Chief of Police, arrested a nephew of Count BISMARCK yesterday. The young man drew a pistol and threatened his captors, but he was seized. I presume that Count BISMARCK has nephews, like most other men of his years, but I can scarcely believe that he had one in Paris. If true, this young man will furnish the most legitimate case of hanging known in history.

THE RED CROSS.

In time of war we look for charges against the enemy on both sides, and for brilliant examples of how this world is given to lying; but we hardly look for charges against the enemy for the very things that we ourselves are doing. The French complain that the Germans put the red-cross flag upon their provisions trains to protect them, and a paper says that the same thing was done here. At any rate we see the red-cross abused on both sides, and a cry of horror when that abuse draws a fire from the enemy. We see further how utterly impossible it is to maintain the position of a neutral, even for humanity's sake, in the midst of a war. The Empress has given the palace of Compiegne for a hospital, one part of the Tuileries may be yielded also, and above the palace of Fontainebleau and St. Cloud the red-cross flag is now flying. Queen ISABELLA of Spain, has also given up the Hotel Basilowski. Now, if the Prussians should come to Paris is it at all probable that they will respect these palaces simply because they contain wounded men? The rule will not work on either side, and all that we can really expect from the convention of Geneva is, that it will protect the wounded as far as it can do so consistently with the stern necessities of war. Neither combatant would willingly fire upon a train of wounded, but either must do so if that train is made into a shelter for armed men. I was almost forced to charge upon three ambulances in the Valley of Virginia, see a body of infantry hid away in their behind them, and had killed one man and wounded two on those horses before I could really make up my mind what to do. There was no help for it. We were obliged to stop that fire, and it was with the greatest regret that, in the heat of the charge, I saw the men fire upon the ambulance wagons. Such things are inevitable under certain circumstances, and one may be sure that the men who cry out so loudly against these things have never been placed in similar situations. The official reports are so far expected, for it is the object of each combatant to gain the sympathy of the world, and that sympathy is more likely to be gained by lying. This is a philosophical view of the subject, though I have no time to prove it. You remember how Thetis complimented her sister on the hands for his skill in lying; so we now invariably compliment, in a way, the man who makes out the best story, for before the truth is known, new events have come to drive away the importance of the old.

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS.

In connection with the subject of balloons, I should have mentioned several propositions for a system of telegraphing in case the lines outside of the city should be cut. There are several codes of signals devised for army signaling, and some two or three new systems for using them at night by electric lights. Telegraphy is now being arranged, but I have no information about it beyond the fact that some time or other will be used. Some time ago the Government sold between three hundred and three hundred thousand old muskets, manufacturing them in the provinces, the object being to get fresh metal into the guns and improved styles. Only about three of these old guns changed when the war broke out, and the remainder has been repurchased by the Government, and will be given to the National Guard of the country towns. There is an old city revived of late, which I give as an item of the day. There are serious complaints that the distribution of provisions to the families of soldiers has been made with a view to political feeling.

W. R.

Legislative Proceedings—Deliquescence of the "Right"—Republicanism—The Approaching Siege—The Seat of Government—An Unpatriotic Offensive.

From Our Own Correspondent.

PARIS, Wednesday, Aug. 31, 1870.

The proceedings in the Chamber, yesterday, present several points of interest, although no incident occurred of great importance in its bearing upon the political situation.

The sensation news of the *Figaro* has become so extravagant in its character, and so evidently mischievous in its intentions, that it has both felt it necessary to notice its fabulous assertions. In yesterday morning's issue there appeared in large type a statement, guaranteed as perfectly true, that the Ministers of War and Marine had received a dispatch from an authentic source in the United States announcing that twenty armed vessels, manned entirely by Germans, had left our ports with the intention of ravaging all the open cities on the French sea-coast. M. PAIN, BERNARDIN questioned the Minister as to the truth of this fantastic narration, asserting that for his part he believed it to be entirely false, but that it was calculated to spread alarm and terror most unnecessarily along the whole seaboard. The Ministers of Marine, in reply, denied that his department had received a dispatch from an authentic source in this affair, but received from the *Figaro* adding that a similar story had been set afloat about a naval force fitting out in England—that he had sent over an agent to the various points designated, and found that there was no ground whatever for these wild rumors. These unless a still greater accusation against the *Figaro*—that of endeavoring to stir up religious dissensions in the provinces, by imputing Prussian sympathies to the Protestants. It appears that in various parts of France the Protestant population has been accused of having communication with the enemy, and that outrages have been perpetrated upon them, and that outrages have been perpetrated and ill-treated, to the cry of "Down with the Prussians." From the revelations made before the Legislative body, it is evident that through out the provinces a very ugly spirit prevails, one which is sorely to have been encouraged by Imperial Prefects, Imperial Commissaries and Imperial attorneys against every one who has shown any opposition to the Empire.

REFRIGERATORS.

M. JULES FAVRE, in yesterday's sitting, presented a petition from the citizens of Belleville, (a very hotbed of republicanism in Paris,) requesting to be armed as members of the National Guard. The Colonel of the battalion appointed by the Government has positively refused to give them guns, calling them that the Opposition is the cause of all the misfortunes of the country. M. JULES FAVRE desired the Minister of the Interior that, if justice were not done to these patriotic citizens, that they would have the right to obtain it by any means in their power. Of course, this course remarks was accepted by the "Right," who immediately scented the "Left" of exciting a revolt and trying to bring about another series of "barricades," in order to aid the enemy. M. BERTHAUT, M. PIGANO and M. PELLETAN united their force of eloquence to bring before the Chamber the outrageous abuses committed under the sanction of the authorities in the provinces—and they were so strong in force as to be invincible even by the tumultuous outcries of the majority. The Minister of the Interior affirmed that in some parts of the country the Catholics were accused of want of patriotism, that the Protestants were not the sole class persecuted, and that every effort was being made to calm the people by proclamations. To this assertion of pacific intentions the "Lefts" retorted by "no more words, we want acts." The Imperial functionaries who tolerate, and more frequently encourage, these wicked outrages, must be dismissed. M. ERNEST PICARD, by declaring that the reason of the powerlessness of the Ministry was due to the existence of an occult Government which stood behind it, shut it, over it, in a manner to paralyze its good intentions, raised an uproar in the Chamber, which was not quelled until almost every member of the majority had exhausted himself in expletives of remorse, while the Left roared forth bravos of encouragement to their orators, repeated again and again, when M. PICARD could make himself heard, terminating with: "This occult Government, gentlemen, the time has come for us to tolerate it no longer!"

THE APPROACHING SIEGE.

Although the first panic at the idea of the investiture of Paris has greatly subsided, there is no relaxation in the efforts of the authorities to provide for the eventuality of the arrival of the besieging forces. The stores of flour are immense, yet the Government continues to make purchases of foreign grain, in addition to the very large stock already on hand in its granaries. Private speculators have also imported great quantities, both from America and from the Danubian Principalities. This, with the fact that, after all the outcry of short crops, the harvest of this year has exceeded the average in eighty-one of the departments of France, gives the assurance that at the worst the wolf will be kept from the door. The bakers have no excuse for raising their prices; but the butchers have already commenced to establish war prices, and the grocers are entirely independent in their reception of customers, ordering them than from twenty-five to one hundred francs' worth of their stores. I saw in one of the extensive grocery establishments of the Rue de Rivoli, a number of women disdainfully rejected upon their demanding merely a small package of rice, tea, or other convertible—not costing, at least, francs, unless provided with the exact change. The journals are filled with complaints of the nature, which indicate what will be likely to occur if the last hour of trial should come. Presumptuous and courage are the watch-words at present. That pulse of all great cities, the money market, gives the best possible evidence of the elasticity of the nation, by an advance in all the domestic stocks as soon as the Prince Royal's retrograde movement became known. The junction of McMAHON and BAZAINE is accepted as an assurance of victory. All that relates to these military heroes is the order of the day, and our ears are so filled with rumors of warlike strategy, of new corps being formed at Lyons, at Besançon, at Bourges, that the political discussions of the "Right," "Left," and "Centre," when not in full session, have little chance of being heard.

THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT.

Last week it was announced as coming from the best possible authority, that the Diplomatic Corps intended to leave Paris during the siege, and establish their headquarters in some safe retreat, at a respectable distance from the enemy's batteries. This addition, although probably founded on fact, did not seem to me a probability. I have said, therefore, the definition of contradicting it, but simply that of stating that the Empress and all the diplomatic agents have received not to quit their posts. The palace of the Tuileries, from its central position, will not be likely to suffer from any of the enemy's projectiles, so that there can be no objection to Her Majesty's remaining there, even during a sustained siege. The Imperial palaces at Compiegne, Fontainbleau, Hampton-Court, are protected by the red cross of the International Society, embassies having been established in their dry halls. It is said that it is the intention of the Government to leave the city of all the Imperial residences by this means. The neutrality of the international emblem will probably be carried to the end in the case of the Prussians. We must be ready to respect it always. The concealment of a large number of the works of art in the museums of Versailles and the Trianon is another consideration. If the Prussians are not possessors of supernatural omnipotency, it would be impossible for them to make the temporation of retaining for the village of their own artillery by the Free Marksmen.

CURRENT NOTES.

The Uticans want to have a public park.

Hartford, Conn., suffers from the miserable quality of its gas.

Worcester, Mass., has a population of 41,105. In five years there has been an increase of 11,115.

"Bookworms" have recently been noticed in large numbers at the Congressional Library in Washington.

There is a Methodist local preacher in Illinois who has passed his one hundred and third year, and is still engaged in his good work.

The *Republican* is afraid to give the residence of one of its admirers for fear he might be visited by the fruit thieves of Springfield, Mass.

Thirteen cotton factories in the vicinity of East Haddam, Conn., have been obliged to suspend owing to the drouth. They give employment to 100 men each.

HORACE R. PLUMLEY, the Shrewsbury, Vt., murderer, who was to have been executed on the 20th ult., has had his sentence commuted to imprisonment for life.

The Class of 1817, at Bowdoin College, held its fifty-third reunion recently, at Portland, Me. There were four of the original eight members present.

An association has recently been established in Chatham County, Ga., having for its object the fostering of all branches of agricultural, mechanics, manufactures and fine arts.

A young girl, named ANNIE WHALEN, attempted to commit suicide at Buffalo a few days ago, in order, as she declared, to cure her passion for late hours and strong drink.

The cotton crop in several districts of Georgia has been seriously damaged by rust. It is particularly noticeable wherever guano has been used.

A man was recently found standing upon his head in the streets of Mobile, Ala., who claimed to be the brother-in-law of President GRANT. Whenever the boys hooted at him, he turned round savagely and shrieked "Let us have peace."

The laying of the corner-stone of a new Congregational church, at New-Haven, was recently made the occasion for the delivery of some very happy remarks about the progress of Congregationalism throughout the country. There was a large attendance.

The women of Wanagrah, Wis., have of late been much troubled about their rights. They are engaged in hunting prairie chickens just now, in order to show their jealous husbands that women are capable of enjoying field sports as well as men.

A young lady of prepossessing appearance has been practising upon the sympathy of charitable Albanians during the past week, by representing to them that she had escaped from a Catholic Convent in their city, and was desirous of returning to her relatives in Canada.

A successful operation was performed on the eye of a young lady at Worcester, Mass., quite recently, by a surgeon of that city. She had been almost blind from inflammation which had continued for four years, the result of an irregular direction of the eyelashes toward the pupil. The cure was perfect.

A three-year-old child, residing with the family of a Mr. CRAY, at Palmyra, in this State, was horribly burned, a few days since, while playing with a box of matches. The friction set fire to them, and the flame having communicated to her clothing she was literally broiled before any assistance could be offered.

The Western custom of managing theatres on the water is about to be tried by Mr. J. M. NIXON. He is making arrangements for fitting up a steam-boat, with the view of giving dramatic entertainments at the several towns along the Hudson River, and elsewhere, should the speculation prove successful.

THOMAS NOLAN, one of the victims of the late Fenian "War," will be tried at Montreal on the 6th of next month. Up to a recent date he was in a wretched state of mind, but latterly has been more cheerful, owing to a visit from friends, who promise to have him defended by the ablest lawyer in Canada. He is a native of Cohoes in this State.

CAPT. KEELER, a prosperous resident of Detroit, Mich., has been cruising about the straits of that city, recently, on board a steam-yacht on wheels. The vessel is 35 feet long, 7 feet depth of hold, and is feet breadth of beam. After making the circuit of the principal thoroughfares, the old skipper headed his craft toward the river, and launched her in presence of the whole town.

Work on the Western Maryland Railroad, between Double Pipe Creek and Hagerstown, is being pushed forward quite rapidly. Several of the bridges have been completed. It is hoped that the line may be finished to Mechanicstown by the 1st of November. Ground has not yet been broken on the section between Baltimore and Owings's Mill, owing to some legal difficulties that may finally have the effect of altering the route.

The kidnapping of children still goes on at New-Orleans. The last case occurred on Thursday last, when a child between two and three years of age was seized by a lusty negro, and would have been carried beyond the city limits but for the interference of a Police officer, who had snatched the man from an alley-way in the vicinity, and subsequently arrested him. The case was afterward brought before the Recorder, but there was no conviction, owing to the previous good character of the accused.

The colored soldiers of Cincinnati are so jealous of each other that the officers have totally failed in their efforts at discipline. The Major was honored with a continuation as director of the County infirmary. A short time since, a circumstance which caused no much envy among the rank and file that a meeting was held and resolutions passed breaking up the organization and calling upon him to resign his commission. The Major declines to be unfitted, and declares that, if the Constitution, meet and shall be preserved." It is now decided that the director is entitled to expulsion and disciplined.

OUR PLEASURE GROUNDS.

Meeting of the Department of Public Parks—Improvements Ordered and in Progress—Appointments for Some Season.

The Department of Public Parks held a regular meeting, yesterday, at the Department office. Present, PETER S. SWEENY, President, and Commissioner HERMAN and FRANCIS. Considerable routine business was transacted. A report was received from the Executive Committee, presenting a detailed statement of its transactions, which was adopted. A communication was received from ROBERT B. ROOSEVELT, over the Commissioner of Streets for the state of New-York, relative to establishing aquaria and fish-breeding troughs in connection with the ponds and springs in the Park. A resolution was adopted, inviting Mr. ROOSEVELT to examine and report upon the feasibility of erecting fish-buildings in the lakes of the Central Park, as suggested in his communication, and the President was empowered to authorize such action on the subject as may be by him considered expedient. The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Engineer of the Boulevard, yesterday, that the Circle and Seventy-first-street be next opened for public use, and that the Board of Commissioners of Public Parks, between Seventy-fifth-street and Seventy-first-street, be opened and improved, and that the Board of Commissioners of Public Parks, between Seventy-first and Eighty-fourth-street, and Seventy-fourth-street and Third-avenue, One Hundred and Eighth-street, are hereby ordered opened on Nov. 1st next, and the engineer in charge is hereby directed to view and report upon the best method of said work, with the view of opening and Boulevard in its entire length from Fifty-ninth-street to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth-street, at specified expenditure.

The Treasurer was authorized to sell such sheep from the stock in the Park as may not be desirable to keep during the coming Winter, and to add such sheep as may be deemed advisable.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the chiefs of the Department be authorized to transfer men from one gang to another, or from one work to another, under their respective charges, as the public interest may require, and be given on the same day to the Disbursing Office, until otherwise ordered. Reductions of men to date, who have been absent from duty, or other causes, shall be made from the pay roll, as soon as by the heads of Bureaus to whom the foreman may have been assigned, but no promotions shall be made without the written order of the President of the Department.

Resolved, That the Engineer-in-Chief shall cause a new survey of the public place or park which Sixty-ninth-street intersects the same, so that measures may be taken for its early improvement.

Resolved, That it is expected that the work for the completion of St. Nicholas-avenue, at the earliest day, therefore, the Engineer-in-Chief will forthwith report to the Board the time he will require to finish the work, and whether it is expedient to have the same performed by contract, or by workmen under the direction of the Engineer-in-Chief.

A communication was received from C. A. SEIFFARDT, United States Consul at Yedo, Japan, relative to landscape gardening, trimming trees and plants in various shapes, animals, pagods, &c., building miniature caves and mountains, and an access to many things in which the Japanese excel, and offering to render such aid as the Department might desire relative to incorporating any of the arts above mentioned in the parks under their control.

HONORS TO FARRAGUT.

The Remains to be Interred at Woodlawn Cemetery—Preparations for their Reception in the City—An Imposing Demonstration Anticipated.

In another column will be found a call for a meeting of the Commandery of the State of New-York of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States, of which the late Admiral FARRAGUT was Commander. The object of the meeting, which is to be held at Delmonico's, in Fourteenth-street, at 8 P. M., next Thursday, is to make preparations for the reception of the remains of the great hero, which are to arrive here in about ten days, and are to be finally interred at Woodlawn Cemetery. It is intended that the demonstration shall be one worthy of the memory of the great Admiral. Besides the members of the Legion and of other military associations, the First Division N. G. S. N. Y. will parade on the occasion, and the Masonic fraternity, of which Admiral FARRAGUT was a member, various local organizations, and the members of the Federal, State and City Governments will be invited to participate. The remains will doubtless be brought to this City on a vessel of the United States Navy, though there is some talk of dispatching the steamer Plymouth Rock to Fall River to meet them on their arrival there, and bring them up the Sound. It is understood that Mrs. Farragut has been consulted in regard to the arrangements for the funeral pageant in the City, and acquiesces in the arrangements thus far contemplated. Lieut. LOYALL FARRAGUT, son of the Admiral, has gone to Portsmouth to superintend the removal of the body, which now reposes in a tomb behind the Episcopal Church at Portsmouth. It is expected that it will arrive here about the 20th of the present month.

Chess at the Cafe International—Turner vs. Delmar.

The subjoined game is one of a short match now pending between Messrs. TURNER and DELMAR. Two games have already been contested, each party winning one:

SCOTCH GAMBIT.

TURNER. White.	DELMAR. Black.
1. P to K 4.	P to K 4.
2. K Kt to B 3.	Q Kt to B 3.
3. P to Q 4.	K takes P.
4. Kt takes P.	Q to K 5 (a.)
5. B to K 2 (b.)	Q takes K P.
6. Kt to Q Kt 5.	K to Q (c.)
7. Q Kt to B 3.	Q to K 4.
8. Castles.	Q to Q B 4.
9. Q Kt to Q 5.	Q to Q 5.
10. K to Q B 4.	Kt takes Kt.
11. B to K B 4 (d.)	Q to Q 3.
12. B takes Kt.	Q takes B.
13. B takes P ch.	K to Q 2.
14. Q R takes Q.	K to Q R 3.
15. K R to K sq.	P takes B.
16. P to Q Kt 4.	P to B 3.
17. P takes B.	R takes P.
18. Kt to K 4.	R takes P.
19. Kt takes B.	R takes P.
20. B to Q 6 ch.	K to Q sq.

And after several more moves Black resigned.

(a) This counter attack, the invention of Mr. PURDIES, a brilliant English amateur player, was at one time thought invincible, until Herr HORWITZ introduced the counter move of Kt to Q Kt 5.

(b) Also a very effective reply to Black's previous move.

(c) The bonne measure forced.

(d) An excellent move.

Smuggling Charge of Sending a Cuban Ship Away.

In December last a steamer was fitted out in this City with arms and ammunition for the struggling Cubans, and, having successfully eluded the intervention of the United States authorities, proceeded safely to her destination. After many similar expeditions, it was unlike to effect a landing on the shore of Cuba, and was placed temporarily in the hands of a Spanish authorities. A sale of the ship's effects followed, and among the articles disposed of was a valuable flag, which was presented to one Colonel by Señor CARMEN VILLA VERDE, a resident of this City. It was purchased by Señor DIAGO DIAZ, a Cuban, residing in Nassau, and brought by him to this City about a month since. By an accidental circumstance it came to the knowledge of Señor VILLA VERDE that Señor DIAZ had the flag in his possession, and he demanded it, being refused, he brought a charge of larceny against the latter at the Essex Market Police Court, yesterday. The flag being emphatically claimed by both parties, Judge BOTT, who presided, dismissed the complaint and ordered the flag to be transmitted to the Property Clerk of Police Headquarters, for the purpose of identification by witnesses.

The Mississippi Tragedy—An Arrest Made.

The colored man named JACOB CLARK, supposed to have been an accomplice of KEZIAH HINTON, in the arson and poisoning of the house of Dr. McDOWELL, in Bloomfield, as chronicled, yesterday, has been arrested, and stoutly protests his innocence, but the story of KEZIAH implicates him. She has made an affidavit that on Sunday, Aug. 14, JACOB CLARK came to the house of Dr. McDOWELL, with a bottle of rat-poison powder, and asked her to permit him to go into the cellar, which she did. He afterward spent the night with her in the kitchen, and left the house about daybreak. Two Sundays before this, CLARK was in the doctor's office while the family were at church, with a similar bottle. CLARK says that when KEZIAH refused him he told her he would not darken those doors again, and did not till after the fire. Jno. Williams

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THE TEMPERANCE CAUSE.

Grand Demonstration in Queens, L. I.—Over 2,000 Persons in a Cold-water Camp—Speeches of Rev. Dr. Cuyler, Dr. Chas. Jewett, John N. Stearns and Others.

Yesterday was a grand holiday for the temperance people of Queens county, who turned out in large numbers in Doughty's Grove, about a mile beyond the village of Queens. There were about

CRIMES AND CASUALTIES.

Probably Fatal Assault on a Child—Mrs. Brown Mistaken—Marauding Performance—Minor Offenses and Accidents.

SOLOMON BROWN, a little negro lad aged fifteen, who is afflicted with lameness, was arraigned at the Jefferson Market Police Court yesterday, before Judge Cox, on a charge of feloniously assaulting a child two years old, the daughter of Mrs. EMMA KING, No. 119 West Twentieth-street. The evidence disclosed the facts that Mrs. KING and a woman named Mrs. BENNETT keep infamous houses, and the feeling of animosity which exists between them has frequently given rise to threats and violence. On Monday last, the prisoner, who is an employe of Mrs. BENNETT, was passing through Twenty-fifth-street, when, perceiving the child of Mrs. KING on the sidewalk, he struck her repeatedly with a champagne bottle on the head, injuring her so seriously as to endanger her life. When arrested, BROWN stated to the officer that he had no reason for assaulting the child, but that he was prompted to it by Mrs. BENNETT. A medical certificate was produced, stating that the child was in a critical condition, and the prisoner was remanded to await the result.

JULIA BAIRD, a little girl with a large pitcher, assaulted JOHN GRIFFEN, early yesterday morning, at No. 148 Hester-street, inflicting a severe scalp wound. He was removed to the Eldridge-street Police Station, where his wound was dressed. JULIA was arrested and taken, yesterday, at the Essex Market Police Court, when she was committed for trial.

EDWARD MOORE fell, yesterday, in Centre-street, cutting his head severely, and was removed to the Park Hospital.

SUSAN BOWENS, twenty years of age, fell, yesterday, at the corner of Ann and William-streets, breaking one of her legs. She was taken to the Park Hospital.

ELLEN WARDS, of No. 371 Water-street, appeared at the Fourth Precinct Station-house early yesterday morning, with a broken arm, which she said she had received by an unknown person pushing her down a flight of basement stairs. She was taken to the Park Hospital.

Sixty-two bales of hay loaded upon a car on the Harlem Railroad, while that standing on the track at Seventeenth-street, were destroyed by fire, yesterday morning, with a loss of $150. The fire was caused by sparks from a locomotive.

HARRIET BERRIAN, residing at No. 226 Stanton-street, died suddenly yesterday. Coroner SCHIRMER was notified.

MARGARET GAFFNEY died suddenly at No. 58 Bleecker-street on Monday night. Coroner KERNAN was notified.

CATHARINE NORRIS, aged sixty, and a native of Ireland, died at Bellevue Hospital, on Monday, from the effects of a fall through the floor of Pier No. 1, East River, June 18, and resided at No. 420 Water-street. Coroner KERNAN was notified.

MARY MCGRATH, aged sixty, who poisoned herself at No. 26 Pearl-street, recently, by taking Paris green, died at the Centre-street Hospital on Monday night. Coroner KERNAN was notified.

HENRY STAUBE, a German, yesterday committed suicide by hanging himself to a beam on the third floor of the pottery at Fifty-first-street and Eleventh-avenue. The body is at the Morgue.

RICHARD GALLAGHER, of Bergen, N. J., was held to answer by Judge DOWLING, at the Tombs, yesterday, for having driven off a horse and wagon-load of vegetables, the property of Wm. H. DENTON, a Long Islander. The act was committed in Washington-street.

ALONZO WILLIAMS was arraigned before Justice DOWLING, at the Tombs, yesterday, and fully committed on two counts. On Monday evening, ALONZO was detected in the act of carrying off a satchel belonging to GEO. W. GERRY, Jr. He was arrested, and when searched a pocket-book, which had been stolen on the 7th inst. from ANDREW J. GIBSON, at the Astor House, was found in his possession.

A Celestial, QUIMBO APPO, who, years ago, murdered his wife, was brought before Justice DOWLING, at the Tombs, yesterday, charged with having assaulted and robbed a Bohemian CHARLES PONS, another Chinaman. QUIMBO, who has often been in "durance vile" for similar offenses, was committed.

Justice DOWLING, at the Tombs, yesterday, committed JOHN BARCHART, an errand boy, for trial, on Monday last, taken a gold diamond ring, valued at $60, from the stock of his employers, AIKIN, LAMBERT & CO., Nos. 14 and 16 Maiden-lane.

In the Yorkville Police Court, yesterday, OTTO KREUTHER, aged eighteen years, was committed by Justice COULTER, for stealing on the 23d of August, $140 worth of jewelry and bank bills to the amount of $50 from the bedroom of his employer, WM. JOHNSON, corner of Lexington-avenue and Fiftieth-street, for whom he was stable boy.

Justice COULTER, in the Yorkville Police Court, yesterday, fully committed JOHN QUINN and JOHN MCCARTHY, alias Stitch, to await the result of their victims' injuries.

JULIA SWIFT, charged with stealing eight dollars' worth of clothes from the store of GUSTAVUS KUTCHMANN, Second-avenue, near Sixty-first-street, was committed to answer, in default of bail in $300.

Meeting of the Board of Health—Report on Contagious Diseases.

The Board of Health met at the usual hour yesterday afternoon, President BOSWORTH in the chair, and Commissioners BRENNAN, CHECKERE, GROSS, MULLALY, RUBIN SMITH and STEPHEN SMITH, present.

Upon reports from the Attorney, it was ordered that suits be commenced in 115 cases of violations of the tenement-house law, and nineteen cases of non-compliance with orders. Upon recommendation of the Sanitary Committee, a permit was granted to JOHN KINE and others to dump manure at Thirty-seventh and Thirty-eighth streets, North River, provided that powdered gypsum be used, and the ground surrounded with a tight board-fence. An application of FELIX DOUGHERTY to dump manure at the foot of Gansevoort-street was denied. In a large number of cases permits to slaughter animals were granted. Action was also taken upon applications to keep cows, poultry, and do other things prohibited by the ordinances, in accordance with the recommendation of the City Sanitary Inspector.

The following report was read and ordered on file:

BUREAU OF SANITARY INSPECTION, HEALTH DEPARTMENT, NEW-YORK, Sept. 13, 1870.

Thomas Clark, Esq., Secretary of the Board of the Health Department:

Sir: I have the honor to present the following statistics with reference to contagious diseases, as reported to this Bureau, during the week ending Sept. 10, in comparison with those of the previous week:

	Typhoid Fever.	Scarlet Fever.
Sept. 3	18	26
Sept. 10	17	22
Difference	1	4

Relapsing fever has appeared in the last week from certain crowded quarters. Nos. 143 and 145 West Twenty-sixth-street, No. 455 West Seventeenth-street, and a ninety foot alley-road near One Hundred and Twenty-third-street and Third-avenue. These four places gave fourteen out of the thirty-three cases reported last week. The remainder are scattered, occurring in those places where the infection had been communicated by persons previously removed to Hospital. Respectfully submitted,

THOREAU MORRIS, M. D., City Sanitary Inspector.

Death of a Venerable Editor.

Major Wm. DENMAN, who died on Monday, Sept. 12, in the 79th year of his age, was, at the time of his death, the oldest journalist in the Catholic interest in this country. He was of English birth, and was educated for the military service in Great Britain. At an early age he retired from army life, and emigrated to this country nearly half a century ago. Soon after his arrival in this City, he established the *Truth Teller* newspaper, as a weekly organ and advocate of the Roman Catholic element in the United States. It was the second Catholic journal issued in the Union, bearing close upon the establishment of the *Catholic Herald* of Charleston, by the celebrated Bishop ENGLAND, of that diocese. Major DENMAN was the proprietor and editor of the *Truth Teller* for about thirty years. Some fourteen years ago, he disposed of his interest in the journal, which was soon after discontinued. The Major lived in retirement during his later years, and was in the enjoyment of fair health up to a very recent date.

He was well known to all the older residents of New-York City, where he was held in high esteem. He was a gentleman of good culture and more than ordinary dense of character. He was an upright citizen, and did his duty in every sphere, cheerfully and faithfully. He had two sons, who had been in public service, viz., TEDRICK L. DENMAN, of the First United States Infantry, who was accidentally killed in Texas about seventeen years ago, and Assistant Paymaster Joseph L. DENMAN, of the United States Navy, who died a few years since. Two of his sons survive him, namely, Col. Oran R. DENMAN, formerly of the United States Army, and Mr. WM. DENMAN, Jr., who is an accomplished editor of the New-York *Tablet*.

The funeral of Major DENMAN will take place this forenoon from St. Stephen's Roman Catholic Church, corner of Carroll and Hicks streets, South Brooklyn.

Board of Police—Transfers Since Sept. 6—Resignations.

After an interregnum of many days, caused by the absence of the Commissioners from this City, there was a meeting of the Board of Police yesterday, but no very important business was transacted. Sergt. JOHN M. ROBBINS was transferred from the Nineteenth Precinct to the First, Sergt. ANDREW DOYLE from the Twenty-eighth to the Seventh, and Sergt. WILLIAM H. SPINCE from the Seventh to the Twenty-eighth Precinct. The resignations of 14 patrolmen were received and accepted. Joseph STRANGE of the Central Office, was made a lieutenant.

The following resolution was adopted: That whenever in any precinct an obstruction or obstructions in the street shall exist which can be removed appropriately and readily by the Corporation yard, and which, in the officer in command in charge of the precinct, is found to be a public nuisance, in order to prevent accidents to persons, animals or vehicles lawfully in the street, he shall cause such obstruction or obstructions to be removed without delay to the Corporation yard at Shermerhorn-street and North-River, and present his bill of reasonable charges therefor at the office of the Mayor, where they will be paid.

Preparations for the Reception of Mlle. Nilsson.

The Swedes, residents of this City, are on the qui vive for the arrival of Mlle. NILSSON, the Swedish cantatrice, and are arranging to give her an enthusiastic reception. They did propose to go down the Bay in a steamboat and meet the *Cuba* as she came in, but finally concluded to make their demonstration of welcome on Thursday evening, when the Swedish Working Men's Singing Society will assemble in Prof. DOZIN'S garden, opposite the Clarendon Hotel, and will there and then give her a grand serenade. The societies will meet in GATZMANN'S Hall at 7½ o'clock, and the serenade will take place promptly at 11½ o'clock. The *Cuba* is so heavily loaded, it is represented, that if she should approach the coast during the flight of pilots, she will be obliged to take pilots for the port at Sandy Hook at high water, which will be about noon today. Mlle. NILSSON will probably not arrive at her hotel the Clarendon, before some time this afternoon.

Affairs at the Custom-House.

Collector MURPHY did not return to the Custom-house yesterday, as was expected, and, consequently, no appointments were made. He will be at his post of duty today, when certain candidates for position will be gratified by receiving his determination. Among the visitors who called yesterday, and were disappointed in seeing Mr. MURPHY, were Gen. KILPATRICK, Gen. PATRICK H. JONES, Hon. HENRY WILSON, and PARSON SKINDY, Esq.

LAW REPORTS.

COURT CALENDARS—THIS DAY.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Held by Ingraham, P. J.

Nos. 133—Goodrich vs. Perry. Nos. 135—Hoar vs. Hoar.

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by Curtis, J.—Calendar called at 11 A. M.

Nos. 1358—Pollitz vs. Hess. 1720—Foster vs. Crotty. 1445—Miller vs. Wendt. 1547—White vs. Sparks. 1737—Lyons vs. Burgess. 1386—Mayer vs. Graff. 1388—Hoffman vs. Seeley. 1767—Murphy vs. Reed.

Nos. 1391—Lichtenbrunk vs. Lowenstein. 1726—Sidney vs. Welsh. 1664—Mette vs. Orting. 1664—Heyman vs. Hecht. 1908—Morlotz vs. Edwards. 1391—Harrison vs. Stone. 1913—Fellows vs. Rooney.

Part II.—Held by Joachimsen, J.—Calendar called at 11 A. M.

Nos. 1972—McNulty vs. Packer. 1428—Friend vs. Friedman. 1966—Dodson vs. Crane. 1426—Briggs vs. Smith. 1745—Cypes vs. Mechanics' Ins. Co. 1707—Wetmore vs. Green. 1594—Strasser vs. Erlenbach. 1382—Bietzka vs. Wagner. 1899—Chambers vs. Kelly.

Nos. 1926—McKay Iron Works vs. Courtenay. 1966—King vs. Tully. 1908—Hennessy vs. The Board of Education. 1807—Robinson vs. Mosher. 1900—Bacon vs. Freudenstein. 1910—Dewes vs. Gausch.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held by Sutherland, J.

Nos. 1—The People vs. Thos. Conroyes; robbery, grand larceny. 2—The People vs. Joseph Ryan; burglary. 3—The People vs. John Williams; burglary. 4—The People vs. John McNamara and Annie Connors; burglary. 5—The People vs. Andrew Smith; burglary. 6—The People vs. William Malleady; felonious assault and battery. 7—The People vs. Henry Fyfe; assault and battery. 8—The People vs. John Bloomfield; grand larceny.

Nos. 9—The People vs. Mary Burns and Barney Burns; grand larceny. 10—The People vs. James Thompson; grand larceny. 11—The People vs. Francis Smith; grand larceny. 12—The People vs. Robert Holtfery and Philip Keely; larceny from the person.

DECISIONS.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—SEPT. 13.

By Presiding Justice Ingraham.

In the matter of Rich. Winthrop, a lunatic, referred to Nathanial Jarvis, Jr., to take proof of the matter stated in the petition, and report to the Court. New-York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company vs. Amasa Lyon; motion granted, &c. See opinion.

New-York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company vs. Sarah A. Lyon; motion denied; costs to abide the event.

Elizabeth Crane vs. Joseph Orne; report of referee confirmed, and judgment of divorce granted.

Ester vs. Cohen; the question raised in this case should be decided on demurrer; motion denied; costs to abide the event.

Ward vs. Dixon; motion granted.

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM—SEPT. 13.

By Judge Joseph F. Daly.

Luthmer vs. Hubard; amendment allowed to permit plaintiff to proceed against Hubard as contractor; order modified. Same vs. Same; motions denied. Same vs. McGuinn; Same vs. Same; motions denied.

By Judge Jones.

Murphy vs. Talmage; Gelston vs. Talmage; Murphy vs. Talmage; Novelty Iron Works vs. Lane; Novelty Iron Works vs. Turner; orders supplementary granted.

Bagnall vs. Bunce; order granted and undertaking filed.

Rosenwald vs. Weil; order discharging undertaking granted.

Pooch vs. Campbell; order removing the action from this Court to the Marine Court granted.

Abrams vs. McAllister, Wrightson vs. Dodge; orders granted.

Pearson vs. Lefferand, Hall vs. Page, Fosters vs. Gunn; orders supplementary granted.

Duncan vs. American Fertilizer Company; order to show cause granted, returnable 16th inst., at noon.

L. Barth vs. Scott, Hart vs. Hart; orders granted.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—SEPT. 13.

NOTICE TO THE BAR.

Notes of issue for the third Monday of September Motion Calendar, must be filed on or before Friday next, at 1 o'clock P. M. By order of the Court.

CHAS. E. LOEW, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT—SPECIAL TERM—SEPT. 13.

Before Judge Sutherland.

IN THE MATTERS CHARGE OF FALSE PRETENSES.

In re A. L. Guerrero.—The petitioner in this case, representing himself as the authorized agent of George R. Thomas, the musical director, hired a hall from Cotzhausen & Dessen, in Buffalo, Erie County, giving in payment of the rent, thereof a draft of Mr. Thomas for $50. This draft, through some mistake, was protested. Thereupon Cotzhausen was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Tully on a charge of false pretenses. His arrest becoming known to Mr. Thomas, that gentleman appeared at Police Headquarters and forced away the rents by giving security that Cotzhausen should not be arrested and thereafter found guilty of no misrepresentation in the premises. The prisoner was accordingly brought up on a writ of habeas corpus, and his discharge sought for by his counsel, Messrs. Stone, Hoover, Hummel, on the ground that it was clear no crime had been committed or intended.

There was no opposition, and the prisoner was promptly discharged by Judge JONES.

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM—SEPT. 13.

Before Judge Joseph F. Daly.

INJUNCTION—AN INTERESTING QUESTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

John Carroll vs. Robert W. Butler and James H. Singer.—This case, which seems to have had its origin in a misunderstanding by the parties, to the action, as to the relations which they sustained toward each other in business, will be found of interest on the questions of copartnership and the equity interposition of a court of equity. The facts of the case out of which the proceedings have been instituted will be found fully stated in the opinion rendered in the case by Judge JOSEPH F. DALY, as follows:

The plaintiff brings this action for the appointment of a receiver of the property situated in the stables of the stables at Nos. 129 and 131 Mercer-street, in this City, for the dissolution of a copartnership in said stables which the defendants allege exists between the plaintiff and one Butler, for an accounting for an injunction restraining the defendant, Butler, from collecting or receiving any moneys due the alleged partnership, and from disposing of the partnership stables, and for an injunction restraining the defendant, Singer, from disposing of or carrying a chattel mortgage on the same property executed to him by said Butler, and for other relief. The plaintiff alleges in his complaint "that on or about the 1st day of May, 1869, an agreement was entered into between the plaintiff and defendant, Butler, whereby it was agreed that said plaintiff should take the entire charge of the said livery stable, and carry on the entire business thereof in his own name, and that the profits of said business should be received from the proceeds of said business, for his services, in the following manner, viz., the sum of $20 per week, and secondly, after the payment of the salaries of the said livery stable, he should receive the balance of the net profits of said business." The defendants deny the making of such agreement. The plaintiff, in his complaint, alleges that "for the preceding three years prior to the 1st of May, 1869, the plaintiff was employed by the said Butler to take charge of said livery stable at a weekly salary." The defendant, Butler, admits this, and alleges that the plaintiff is and has been ever since the 1st of May, 1869, the sole manager and superintendent of said stables, and without any interest in the business, and that he, the said Butler, has never allowed that ever since the 1st May, 1869, he has carried on the said business on his own account, and received the earnings, paid the bills, etc., and that the earnings since that date were $18,000 in the defendants, Butler, hands, and that he has paid the plaintiff, from time to time, about $12,000 in all, and that the defendant, Butler, has taken from the stables entirely the proceeds of the stable, viz., the three good horses, and that Butler has threatened to dispose of the same, and to remove them from the stables, and that on June 13, 1870, the defendant, Butler, executed a chattel mortgage on the same property to the defendant, Singer, payable on demand, and covering all the property

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Amusements this Evening.

BOOTH'S THEATRE.
23d-st., corner 3d-av.
RIP VAN WINKLE. Leading characters by Messrs. Joseph Jefferson, Sheridan, Ambrose and Miss Mary Wells.

FIFTH-AVENUE THEATRE.
Mitchell, near Broadway.
MAN AND WIFE. Characters by Messrs. Harkins, Lewis, Davidge, Miss Fanny Davenport and Miss Clara Morris.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.
Broadway, between Prince and Houston-sts.
HEARTSEASE. Characters by Miss Lotta, Miss Virginia Buchanan, Messrs. Hamilton, Lewis, Bowers and others.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.
Broadway, near Bleecker-st.
LITTLE FAUST. Leading characters by Messrs. George L. Fox, H. C. Allen, Mrs. J. A. Oates and Miss Marion Taylor.
MATINEE at 2 o'clock.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.
23d-st., corner 3d-av.
UMBELLA; THE DEMON OF THE NIGHT. Leading character by Miss Kate Lanner.

LINA EDWIN'S THEATRE.
No. 728 Broadway.
A BIRD IN THE HAND, and BLUE-EYED SUSING. Characters by Messrs. Robert Travers, Jackson, Parsloe, Stuart Robson and Miss Lina Edwin.

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE WAR.

Our special correspondent in London, says that there is a strong feeling there that the mission of M. THIERS will be productive of fruitful results. The London *News*, in commenting on his presence in London, says that he is authorized to express the views of the new Government touching peace, and that probably the conditions will embrace the dismantling of Metz and Strasbourg, or their occupation for three years by the Germans. It adds: "If the terms are at all reasonable England will back them." Our own dispatches give more definite information; they state that the terms which M. THIERS proposes are: Payment to Prussia of the war expenses; destruction of all the forts in Alsace and Lorraine; temporary occupation of Metz and Strasbourg by the German troops until the election of an authorized Government for France and the ratification of the treaty by the proper authorities. M. THIERS is reported as saying that he knows no republic in France—only the Government for the defense of Paris.

No further reports of moment are received from the Prussian armies in France. It is rumored that Metz has surrendered unconditionally. Soissons has refused to surrender. The main body of the Prussians had arrived at a point within twenty-eight miles of Paris on Monday afternoon; but the exact position is not known in Paris. On Sunday the French at Chateau Thierry encountered a Prussian reconnoitering party, and, after a sharp engagement, the latter were repulsed with considerable loss.

BISMARCK'S formal report to the King of the surrender of NAPOLEON has been made public. His interview with the Emperor at Sedan lasted an hour. The latter wished to get better conditions of capitulation than had been offered by the Germans, but was unsuccessful. Among other things, he proposed that the French Army be allowed to pass the Belgian frontier and then surrender. BISMARCK expressed his willingness to discuss propositions looking to peace, but NAPOLEON said he could offer nothing, being a prisoner, and referred him to the actual Government at Paris. In the course of the conversation NAPOLEON said he deplored the horrors of war, but that he had yielded wholly to public opinion in declaring war. He was not allowed to see the King until after the conclusion of the negotiations for the surrender.

The enthusiasm for America is still manifested in France. In Tours the arrival of Minister WASHBURNE is impatiently awaited, so that a demonstration can be made; in Marseilles, twenty thousand people assembled before the Consulate on Monday, and M. ESQUIROS, in behalf of the people, presented an address to the American Consul, speeches were made, the band played the national airs of the two countries, and cheers were repeatedly given for the United States Government; and in Havre the American Consul has been saluted by a succession of enthusiastic demonstrations. Mr. WASHBURNE has received the thanks of the Prussian Government for having extended assistance to the Germans in France.

Prussia has formally notified Bavaria of her intention to annex a portion of France to Germany as a military frontier....Bands of Spanish volunteers in the French service are passing through Marseilles carrying the French and Spanish flags....The war is having a serious effect on business in China. Trade of all sorts is nearly suspended.

GENERAL EUROPEAN NEWS.

The vessel wrecked on the Goodwin Sands has not yet been identified. The word "New-York" was on the stern, and the tobacco casks in the cargo were marked with a G in a diamond and H underneath....Further outrages have been committed on the missionaries in China, and the people are said to be preparing for war....Immense placards have been posted in Rome proclaiming the Universal Italian Republic....The Italians have been enthusiastically welcomed in the Papal States. The Pope has ordered resistance to the occupation to cease. A large steamer has left Marseilles for Civita Vecchia to bring all French soldiers in the Papal service....Hobsons MALLERY, French Ambassador to Italy, has been recalled....Gen. WILLIAMS has been appointed Governor of Gibraltar....The Doncaster September races commenced yesterday.

GENERAL.

The annual convention of the State Homœopathic Medical Society assembled at Rochester yesterday, about sixty members being present.

The census returns of Poughkeepsie show a population of 20,080.

The Inter-State Fair of Pittsburg, Penn., was opened by Gov. GEARY yesterday.

The annual meeting of the American Pharmaceutical Association commenced at Baltimore, yesterday, and the reports and addresses showed it to be in a flourishing and advancing condition.

The arrangements for the race between the Tyne and St. John's crews are now complete. Should the weather prove unfavorable to-morrow, the race will be postponed from day to day, until a favorable time comes.

The Herdic Park Races, at Williamsport, Penn., commenced yesterday. There were two races for $1,000 purses, won respectively by *Frank* and *Capitola*.

The Secretary of the Board of Health of New-Orleans publishes a card contradicting the reports about the prevalence of sickness there, and declaring that the city is in an unusually healthy condition.

The Legislature of Oregon met at Salem yesterday and organized for the session. All the officers are Democrats. The Governor will be inaugurated today.

The Coroner's jury at Binghamton holds that EDWARD H. BULLOFF, together with DAVENPORT and JARVIS, who were drowned, was guilty of the murder of the clerk MERRICK, in the store of Messrs. HOLBROOK, on the morning of the 17th of August.

The "Washington Continentals," of Albany, are at Boston on an excursion.

Mayor HALL yesterday proceeded with the case of NICHOLAS C. CONTAR, alias WM. H. MURPHY, who was arrested for personating a City Marshal. It seems that CONTAR had in his possession a shield, by which, as alleged, he obtained much money from storekeepers and others for permits. He was held in $1,000 bail.

The French Consul here, desiring to ascertain what confidence was to be placed in the rumors of the sailing of Prussian privateers from our port, instructed Capt. CESARE MORENO to make investigations as to the origin and veracity of those rumors. After several days of inquiries the Captain has sent in his report, which concludes with the statement that he feels certain that no privateer has left as yet, and none is ready for the present.

The General Committee of the Young Democracy held a very large meeting last night at Apollo Hall, and organized for the campaign by electing officers and directing the holding of primaries on Monday night next. All the chief men of the party were present and Tammany was denounced in no measured terms. JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL was elected President; RUFUS D. HATCH and NELSON J. TAPPAN, Secretaries.

The Future of the War.

Business in every part of this country is more or less affected by the probabilities of a continuance or cessation of the European war. On the popular estimate of these probabilities depends what is called "the price of gold," or more strictly, the value of the paper currency, and this value affects the pocket of every family in the country. The vast speculations in buying and selling securities in this City, or the operations of the produce market, depend on intellectual judgments or feelings as to the future of this great struggle. The Western farmer will price his wheat, and the stock-breeder measure the value of his cattle and swine, by their estimates, or others' estimates, as to the time the French will hold out, and the Prussians will fight. The price of cotton and petroleum, the values of imported luxuries, of wines and silks and dry goods, are all determined by the general judgment on these probabilities.

The English Press, both in this and our own war, presented a fearful warning to presumptuous prophets, who were sure of their knowledge of future events. Still, there is a reasonable balancing of chances, and a close study of probabilities, which become the duty of all who guide public opinion, and which may be of use to the business community just now. Our readers will bear in mind that as early as the middle of July last, before a single battle had been fought, we expressed the opinion in this journal—contrary to the views of most military men in all countries—that Prussia, on the whole, was more than a match for France, and would, in all likelihood, gain the advantage in the tremendous struggle before them. This judgment was derived from a close study of the Prussian military system and of the campaign of 1866, as well as from a knowledge of the moral forces at work throughout Germany.

In considering the probabilities of the continuance of the war, one must leave out of view all the *talk* on both sides—whether the fiery articles of the Paris Press, which have a manifest object, or the conversations of Herr VON BISMARCK with ambitious reporters. The latter gentleman, whatever may be his faults, has never been accused by his bitterest enemies of stupidity, and he is not likely to unfold by telegraph the Prussian diplomacy toward France. In fact, what he might say to a reporter would be quite as apt to indicate what he did not mean to do as what he did. Nor will the utterances of the Prussian newspapers, demanding the destruction of the French Navy and similar penalties, be any token of the future course of the Prussian Government. The journals of Berlin have little influence, either over the people or administration of Prussia. The best indication of the future action of the King and VON BISMARCK toward a fallen enemy can be found in the past.

After the campaign of 1866, passion and vain-glory would have counseled the utter dismemberment of Austria and her permanent humiliation. Had Prussia insisted on a division of Bohemia, or an incorporation of the German provinces in Germany, or an independent kingdom of Hungary, after the tremendous defeat of the Austrian forces during that Summer, we doubt if any power in Europe could have prevented the act. Even the terrible incorporation of South Germany into the Northern Confederation was not attempted, no doubt partly through the interference of France, but mainly because BISMARCK is a statesman, and does not allow mere feeling to govern his public measures. He foresaw that North Germany would soon have all she wanted, merely by consolidating her own power, and by sowing as few seeds of bitterness as possible. He did not care to humiliate Austria too much, nor to acquire disaffected populations.

The King is known to be a man of more violent temper and prejudice, but he yielded to the wiser brain. So it will most probably be in the negotiations soon to open before Paris. Whatever prejudices the King may have against Republics or French "Reds," his able Minister is too astute to allow him to yield to them. BISMARCK would treat with the "Republique Socialiste" itself, or any other body which might hand down the French nation. But there will be the rub. The Germans must have assurance that in ten or fifteen years from now, when France is recovered from her disasters, and Germany is perhaps disarmed, she will not strike another sudden blow such as she did in 1870, better prepared and against an enemy less ready. Germany has been sleeping on her arms since NAPOLEON took the throne. His armaments have compelled the arming of all Europe. The German people are desirous of diminishing these expensive precautions. They want a permanent and secure peace. Nothing else will be a compensation for the tens of thousands of valuable lives from every part of the fatherland, offered up during this bloody campaign.

Is it possible that BISMARCK will offer some such terms as these: A large war indemnity, (for Prussia always looks to outside compensations in her wars;) the possession of two or three fortresses, as a security for the future; the line of the Vosges as a reward to South Germany; the disarming of France, and the quartering of one or two Prussian armies on the country, till these conditions are fulfilled and the Constitutional Assembly meets. Whether these conditions could be accepted or not, is another question. The French people are in no mood to accept them now. But M. THIERS may be able to change their apparent inflexibility. In that case only may we expect to see an early termination of the war. It seems to be quite evident that Russia is not prepared to oppose such conditions as we have indicated. No other Power possesses the power to interfere with any great effect. Upon the result of M. THIERS' negotiations depends, at present, the continuance of the war.

Politics and the Working Men.

Is there any reasonable hope that the mass of our working men are beginning to appreciate the character and designs of some of their leaders? No election has taken place for some years without the active interference of professional agitators, who claim for themselves a special mission on behalf of the rights of labor. They are not usually working men themselves, although they may possibly have had a trade before undertaking to act as politicians. They are now lecturers, orators or secretaries; and their chief office appears to be to foment discontent, to magnify evils that are unavoidable, and to invent others that do not exist,—the ultimate purpose, of course, being to fill their own pockets, and, when that is possible, to favor some candidate for office who is not ashamed to pay them for their trouble. There are some indications that the influence of this class of politicians has somewhat declined. But that is only a reason why working men should ask themselves still further what they have gained by listening to these fluent and plausible "labor reformers." No substantial service has been rendered by them. The legislation upon the eight-hour question is considered, by those best qualified to judge of its effects, perfectly useless, if not actually injurious, to the interests of the workman. No efforts have been made to procure reforms in matters of vital importance to the laboring classes. National banks are assailed, capital is denounced, the Chinese are threatened, and that is about all that occupies the attention of the so-called labor reformers. They earn their money, the elections pass over, and they retire upon the profits.

Meanwhile there are grievances, and those of a very ominous nature, which concern the whole mass of laboring men, and with which politics have nothing to do. Demagogues have continually assured the workmen of our large cities that they must look for prosperity to legislation alone. They are called from their factories, and yards, and work-shops to listen to harangues about "rights" of which no one so far has sought to deprive them. They have their unions, which, one would suppose, gave them protection enough. But, led to throw away the substance for the shadow, they are taught that in politics only can they find a remedy for almost everything of which they now complain. But what is the truth? Is it not one of the chief lessons taught now, that one of the rights of the working man is to be paid for duties which he too often practically evades? And how many industries owe their decadence, and will owe their ruin, to the vicious doctrine that leisure is the chief aim of life, rather than that fair and honorable work is our mission, and will bring its best rewards? The idle classes which swarm and threaten to overwhelm our cities are chiefly created by these doctrines, and those who teach them are the worst enemies of the working classes in this country.

We are witnessing a period of depression in many industries, but legislation is not entirely responsible for it. As we have before pointed out, the bad quality of work is a very powerful influence in this direction. During the war a great deal of money was acquired very rapidly by many persons, and they spent their money recklessly. Simultaneously there grew up a system of giving the semblance of work for real work. The rapid accumulations of fortune have now ceased, but the same substitution of "shoddy" contrivances and of "scamp work" for honest duty continues. If a man with moderate means wishes to build, he hesitates, because he knows that his house will be so badly constructed, both as to material and workmanship, that in a few years he will pay more for repairs than he would have paid for rent. Adulterations are the rule rather than the exception with almost every article of consumption. Clothing is tinked together only to become worthless before it has been worn a month. The same remarks apply to a long list of the industries by which a people live. The consequence is that the industries languish, or that customers seek in other countries what they cannot find at home. This is a [illegible] evil then is generally supposed. If I want good leather," a shoemaker will tell his customers, "I must send abroad for it. Our tanners use oxalic acid to give skins a tanned appearance, and when they are dry they snap like a carrot."

What our working men ought to do in the coming elections is to disregard the demagogues who ignore these truths, and who urge the claims of spurious advocates of the rights of labor. Labor is always worth what it can honestly produce. The hope of the future lies in its improvement, and not in political quackery. And when the artisan is called upon to exercise his voting power, he had better study the character of the candidates for himself, recollect the course of the parties with which they are allied, and form his own independent judgment upon them.

Forestalling the War.

Many people are inclined to consider the modern diplomatist as an anachronism. They contend that the time has come when nations can conduct their affairs with each other without the intervention of that accomplished class of public servants, who are accustomed to consider language as only invented to conceal thought, and who, accordingly, generally possess a knowledge of two or three tongues in addition to their own. The diplomatic service, being naturally averse to discussion, has consistently ignored the attacks of which it has lately been so frequently the subject, on both sides of the Atlantic. Perhaps the most convincing argument it can show as an apology for its existence, is the appearance now and again within its ranks of men whose political sagacity entitles them to rank as statesmen, and whose acquaintance with the springs of national policy endow them with a foresight which is almost prophetic. Of this type is Count HERBERT MUNSTER, son of the celebrated Hanoverian representative at the Vienna Congress in 1815, himself trained in the profession of diplomacy. Three years ago, Count MUNSTER published a book chiefly occupied with his father's dispatches relating to the memorable adjustment of the map of Europe which has been of late so rudely unsettled. Accompanying these is a remarkable treatise on the general aspect of European politics, in which the circumstances attending the present war are foretold with marvelous accuracy, and the future of a united Germany very clearly foreshadowed.

Count MUNSTER emphatically states that a war with Germany could only proceed from France; he announces that since the Emperor said "the Empire is peace," peace is nowhere to be found in Europe, and that the germ of war lies hidden in the Napoleonic system of government. He indicates, not obscurely, the dangers to the then existing French dynasty, which resulted from the persistent pursuit of military ambition, and from the standpoint of a German nationalist and conservative, he arraigns the Imperial régime in these words: "LOUIS NAPOLEON, who has apparently contributed to the greatness of France, will really leave behind him only disordered finances and the greatest demoralization, and his successors will long experience the consequences of a despotism which rests on the command of the army, on the Police, on more or less unscrupulous speculations on 'Change, and on the lowest class of the people." Though, as a Hanoverian, Count MUNSTER finds not a little to disapprove in the policy of Prussia, he accepts her as the only power that can enable every German to realize his ideal of a great national Confederation. He partakes of none of the delusions that were elsewhere current regarding the attitude of the South German States in case of war, but finds in the contingency which he dreads, an irresistible impulse to unity. "Germany," he says, "in war or peace, will have a great destiny. Let her enemies know that the first gun fired by an invader will be answered by a royal salute for United Germany."

The wonderful sentences of Count MUNSTER'S discernment, when compared with events that have already transpired, render his opinion about affairs still pending of no little value. He holds the disintegration of France to be as absurd as the dismion of Germany. He scouts the idea entertained by "individual incorrigible nationality enthusiasts" in Germany as to the reconquest of Alsace and Lorraine. He maintains that "the principle of nationality has no meaning there, because the inhabitants are quite French in their ideas and their interests, and have retained nothing German beyond a thoroughly debased language. A war for the Rhine and for Alsace would have no definite results—would engender misery without effecting any permanent changes." The rapid success of the German arms, and the assumed necessity of possessing some guarantee against French aggression, have doubtless rendered the feeling in Germany about the acquisition of French territory somewhat different than when Count MUNSTER'S book was penned. This, however, does not affect the deliberate verdict pronounced by him on the difficulty of incorporating the subject provinces.

Personal Politics.

Mr. GREELEY, it appears, is perfectly satisfied with the part which Senator CONKLING took in relation to his nomination at the Saratoga Convention. In expressing this sentiment, he does justice to Senator CONKLING no less than to himself. Senator FENTON did, no doubt, support Mr. GREELEY—but he supported him in such a way as to do him more harm than good. If he had in truth determined to close his warfare with his brother Senator, he would probably have found means of insuring the success of Mr. GREELEY. The administrative influence was decidedly on the side of the latter gentleman. The Collector, however, only added to the general muddle, and showed himself much the same sort of General as FAILLY, of the French Army. Mr. MURPHY'S tactics will recall the description given by MACAULAY of the movements of Lord GALWAY'S army in Spain in 1707. "This great commander conducted the campaign of 1707 in the most scientific manner. He drew up his troops, according to the methods prescribed by the best [illegible] in a few hours lost eighteen thousand men, a hundred and twenty standards, all his baggage and all his artillery."

That was the sort of "scientific strategy" the Collector displayed. The public, however, have no reason to deplore the result, for Gen. WOODFORD is a very excellent candidate, as Mr. GREELEY is the first to acknowledge. If Mr. GREELEY had been nominated and elected, journalism would clearly have lost as much as the State might have gained. It needs no conjurer to tell us when Mr. GREELEY is away from his paper, for from him proceeds all that is meritorious in it. We may not agree with his views, but, at least, he speaks out plainly, and he is not perpetually going out of his of way to snap and snarl at all his contemporaries in the small provincial spirit. In a word, he is a journalist, and not what CARLYLE calls a "simulacrum," and, therefore, he could not well have been spared from the service of the public in his present sphere. We trust he is right now in his present statement relative to the placable spirit of Senator FENTON.

The Loss of the "Captain."

The loss of the British iron-clad *Captain* is an evidence that the system of armored vessels suggested by Capt. COLES, the unfortunate inventor, is far from answering all the conditions of the problem it was intended to solve; and the same may be said of iron-plated war vessels generally. The end desired by their projectors is a proper combination of power to resist hostile shot, with sufficient buoyancy to enable a ship to carry a heavy battery, a sufficient number of sailors and gunners for its management, and the requisite supplies of stores of all kinds. With a full knowledge of all these requirements, several of the most powerful nations of Europe have been devoting much time and money to the construction of iron ships for war purposes, but very little has yet been finally determined. Modern ordnance has made such rapid progress that nothing but the heaviest plating will now serve to resist its assaults. There is probably not a vessel afloat whose mailed sides can effectually stop a shot from one of our fifteen-inch guns, to say nothing of the monster twenty-inch ordnance. The English have given especial attention to the construction of broadside iron-clads, but Capt. COWPER COLES, one of their highest authorities on this subject, has just gone down in their latest experiment, which it was hoped would prove the finest vessel in the navies of the world. Capt. COLES endeavored to combine the turret and the broadside systems, but whatever success he may have had otherwise, seems to have been obtained at the price of diminished seaworthiness. Still, it must be borne in mind that while the *Captain*, a turreted vessel, has apparently foundered, the *Monarch*, also turreted, but with an arrangement which, when at sea, gives her all the advantages of an ordinary wooden vessel, is considered one of the best iron-clads in the world.

As none of the survivors of the ill-fated ship have as yet given their account of her loss, we are left to conjecture the cause. We know, however, that Mr. REED, the Chief Constructor of the navy, found much fault with her, and doubted her seaworthiness. If the hull of the *Captain* were wooden, as in the case of our Monitors, the straining of the vessel in the sea-way may have loosened the connection between the upper and lower portions of the vessel, and thus let in the water. It is generally acknowledged that she was eight or nine hundred tons heavier than she should have been, and that she consequently lay two feet deeper in the water than was proper. Her contractors, the Messrs. LAIRD, do not deny this fact, but they claim that her efficiency was not impaired by this error, as was shown by her achievements previous to her last trial trip. Fault was also found with the rigging of the *Captain*, Mr. REED asserting that her "masting is much overdone, beyond the strength of her complement," and also that "on a wind, or under sail, the ship can do little or nothing." If this be true, and no one is better entitled to be believed on this subject than Mr. REED, it can be readily seen that if by any mishap the engines of the *Captain* became disabled in the storm, she at once became unmanageable and lay at the mercy of the waves.

Some time since, when the *Captain* made a trial trip down the English Channel, her guns were found to be so near the water that, as the report says, "it was found desirable to turn her turrets in a particular position to enable the gunners to load without being deluged by the sea." This circumstance, taken in connection with the fact of the helplessness of the *Captain* under sail, furnishes the probable clue to her loss. Capt. COLES, doubtless, had full confidence in the seaworthiness of his latest, and as he supposed best, creation, or he would not have gone to sea in her; but due allowance must be made for the enthusiasm which inventors always feel for their own works. In the absence of further information, however, we must conclude that, the engines of the *Captain* becoming disabled, she was left at the mercy of one of those severe storms which so often visit the English Channel; and that, either from the parting of her armor and hull, or by washing in through her turrets, enough water was shipped to sink her. If, as we suppose, her machinery first became disabled, the final disaster would be all but inevitable, through an inability to use the pumps to check or neutralize the encroachment of the sea.

The extent of this calamity is most appalling, exceeding that which befell us in the sinking of the *Oneida*, and involving more loss of life than has been recorded for very many years. No doubt a strict investigation will be made into the circumstances, so far as they can be discovered. And this is all the more necessary from the apparent fact that there were other defects than those of actual construction, or that a degree of carelessness very unusual on board a man-of-war had been developed. The packing of the feed-pipe of the *Captain* caught fire before she sailed, and she narrowly escaped total destruction. During the gale before that during which she was lost, one of her heavy guns broke loose from its fastenings, and, swinging round, killed a gunner. Great surprise is already expressed that a ship, supposed to be proof the strongest to the British service, should have been wrecked in a storm which a crazy "coaster" could have lived through. Naval constructors, both here and abroad, will look for further particulars with very great interest, considering the important bearings of the fate of the *Captain* upon all vessels of her design and construction.

Yachting and Shooting.

The races last week at Newport prove that the American yachts are still able to hold their own against the *Cambria*, and probably against any other yacht England can send to compete with them. Every preparation was made for a good series of races. All the principal yachts were raised from the water to be cleaned, and their copper polished. The leading yachts of the squadron were present, there was abundance of wind, and the course, which was from Newport around Block Island and back, was thoroughly satisfactory. In the first race for the cup offered by Vice-Commodore BENNETT, the *Cambria* led the squadron while beating to the windward, but was finally beaten before the wind by the *Palmer*, which won by four minutes. The *Cambria* took the second prize. In this race the *Sappho* behaved very well, but she carried away her foretopmast, and of course fell behind.

A match was next sailed between the *Cambria*, the *Phantom*, and the *Madeleine*, these vessels belonging respectively to Commodore STEVENS, of the New-York Club, and Commodore VOORHIS, of the Brooklyn Club. In this contest the *Phantom*, an old favorite, fairly outstripped her English competitor, and finally came in the winner by about fifteen minutes.

There was also a race over the same course on Saturday, in which the *Cambria*, *Dauntless*, *Palmer*, *Phantom*, *Idler*, *Magic*, *Calypso*, *Tidal Wave*, *Madgie* and *Halcyon* participated. The wind was ahead both ways in this race, giving Mr. ASHBURY what he so much desires, "a dead beat to the windward," yet his vessel behaved badly, for some reason, arriving at the home stake-boat nearly an hour behind the winning boat. Under the time allowance the first prize was awarded the *Phantom*, the second boat, the *Palmer*, taking the subscription cup. Although the *Dauntless* carried away her foretopmast, she was the third in, beating the *Cambria* nearly three-quarters of an hour. The rest of the races, including one between the *Cambria* and the *America*, are to take place in New-York Harbor, probably next week. The yachting season, although not yet closed, has already proved a protracted one, and so many vessels have had opportunities of testing their sailing qualities with the *Cambria*, that it is not probable many private matches will be made with that vessel other than those already arranged for.

Although there were several rowing matches between amateurs during the past week, the most notable event in aquatic circles was the so-called ladies' race, which took place last Tuesday at Harlem. Emulous of the laurels won by their Pittsburg sisters last July, some of the New-York oars-women were ambitious to display their skill in handling the blade. So the match was arranged which came off last week on the Harlem River. Among the competitors were Miss ROSENTE, daughter of the well-known boat-builder, Miss SHEEHAN, of Ward's Island, and three other competitors, one of whom, however, pulled out of the race after going half a mile. The contest was a spirited one, and Miss SHEEHAN was declared the winner of the prize—a gold watch and chain. Miss MCALICE, the victor in the Pittsburg regatta, did better than this, as she received a subscription purse of $2,000; but then our New-York girl received all she bargained for, and is doubtless satisfied.

It seems as though boat-races between women were likely to be not unusuanen in future, for we notice that already a Pittsburg paper publishes a challenge from a Miss ROSA STEELE, who proposes to row a two-mile race with Miss SHEEHAN, the winner of the Harlem River race, for $500 a side. This looks like a movement in advance, though whether it be true progress is very questionable. Rowing is doubtless a good exercise for developing the muscles and giving strength and tone to the system, but scull-races hardly seem appropriate for women. GRACE DARLING and IDA LEWIS seized their oars and went forth on the merciful mission of saving life, and all the world honors their achievements. Rowing matches, the only aim and purpose of which is the winning of popular applause, are scarcely calculated to confer any very valuable celebrity upon those ladies who may engage in them.

If the guillotine had come in with the revolution in France, Gen. LEBOEUF would have had a fair chance of being one of the first to give it employment. The Ex-Foreign Minister, the Duc DE GRAMMONT, declares that LEBOEUF over and over again assured him that the army was "ready." The Emperor had great confidence in this man, and thoroughly believed his statement that there were 800,000 efficient men on the rolls of the army. To this Minister France owes in no small degree her recent disasters. The question will suggest itself to many minds whether, after all, he was not one of the innumerable agents of Count BISMARCK, who seem to have been judiciously distributed throughout every circle of French society!

There will never be a thoroughly trustworthy census taken in this City until the whole work is performed on a single day. To extend the process over several weeks is one of the most certain expedients which could be devised for preventing accuracy. Another fatal mistake is to fix upon the Summer as the time for making the census. Five-sixths of the houses at the upper end of the town are then left untenanted, and the census-takers either leave them unvisited, or collect the information they seek as second hand. A day should be fixed in early Spring, and the City be thoroughly parceled out among a large corps of assistants. This is the mode adopted in cities much larger than New-York, and it is the only way of getting a proper return of the population. People cannot easily be numbered twice over, and as a matter of course no house ought to be left uninvited. The census-takers have tried hard to do their duty on this occasion, but the plan on which they worked was against them. How could they get a return of the inhabitants in midsummer, when half our citizens were scattered about among the watering-places of the country?

The English Army is beautifully managed. The other day a "crack" regiment (the Royal Fusiliers) happened to be at Aden on its way to India. Some curious civilian went about among the men and discovered that they were still armed with the old muzzle-loading rifles which they had used in the Crimean war, and that they had never seen a breech-loader in their lives. And yet Mr. CARDWELL, the War Minister, had the assurance to tell the House of Commons a little while ago that there were tens of thousands of breech-loaders ready over and above what the army needed. If England had been put to the sudden test to which France has lately been subjected, can any one doubt what fate would have overtaken her?

Dr. RUSSELL, the Times correspondent, throws a curious light on the spirit which prevailed last month in the French Army. He saw one body of six thousand troops surrender "scared to wind and limb." The prisoners, he says, "speak in the strongest terms of scorn and dislike of the Emperor and his Generals." Dr. RUSSELL professes himself unable to understand the French troops collapsing so suddenly, their "despondency after defeat, and their want of discipline, or that best part of it which lies in obedience to their chief." The truth seems to be that the French soldiers lost all confidence in the plan of campaign after the defeat at Woerth, and were stunned by the surprises which their Generals repeatedly allowed to overtake them. They found that while they were continually being caught at the worst possible disadvantage, the Prussians were always on the alert—that while their own movements always failed, the German movements always succeeded. It is very natural for troops to abuse their Generals, and lose their discipline, when convictions of this kind dawn upon their minds.

Mr. DAWES has made a very good speech at Portland, Me., in which he contrasted the work done in the way of reducing the national debt, and lightening the burdens upon the people, under Presidents JOHNSON and GRANT. The points of this comparison are already familiar enough to our readers. They will be interested, however, to learn that Mr. DAWES comes out strongly in favor of a measure we have often advocated—namely, the admission into this country, free of duty, of the raw material for the building of ships. The audience received his advocacy of this principle with applause. When Congress meets, this must be one of the very first questions to engage its attention. It would be an act of unpardonable folly to neglect the means of reviving one of the most valuable and important industries which this or any other country can possess. The subject is not one to be taken out for an occasional airing now and then, and afterward laid on the shelf. There is no necessity to waste weeks in discussing it. Immediate action will be necessary, and the people will not be very favorably disposed toward Congress, if it trifles the game of playing fast and loose with a problem so vitally affecting their interests.

The approaching race-season at Jerome Park will be one of the most brilliant, and we hope one of the most successful, ever yet held. The preparations are being most carefully attended to; the sport will be first-rate, and the natural attractions of the course at Fordham will be increased by the judicious care and liberality of the gentlemen who are organizing the October meeting. A guarantee of the success of the meeting is afforded in the return home of Mr. LEONARD JEROME—to whose liberality, foresight, and public spirit, it ought never to be forgotten, the community is indebted for one of the most charming places of out-door amusement ever established in this country. Mr. JEROME has never taken the trouble to advertise his work by sending big bills around the streets, but has rather avoided public recognition of the labors he undertook a few years ago—but on that very account, people who remember what Fordham was, and see what it is now, will not be disposed to forget him when they are once more invited to take part in the pleasures of the Fall meeting. This year, in addition to the racing, there will be balls and other entertainments for the ladies, and every means will be taken to promote the comfort and enjoyment of all classes of visitors.

The Brooklyn Democrats of the "straight" type were beginning to congratulate themselves on the apparently final disappearance of election fraud cases. The determined onslaught lately made, by way of reprisal, upon District-Attorney MORRIS has, however, left that energetic public servant undismayed. His first batch of convictions have virtually been sustained by the decision of the General Term, rendered yesterday, and we find him again prepared to proceed with renewed vigor to the prosecution of the remaining fifty-five indictments. In exposing the shameless artifices by which the election returns of Brooklyn were falsified last November, Mr. MORRIS has the support and sympathy of every honest citizen, without distinction of party. It is much to be desired that an early opportunity could be found of disposing of the completed cases in the Court of Appeals, to which they have finally been carried, as a prompt execution of the sentences might reasonably be expected to have a salutary effect upon the general fraternity of Ward politicians.

From the "official statement" of the cotton crop of the United States, just issued by Messrs. ATTRIL & BOURNE, of this City, we take the following figures: The total crop for the year ending Aug. 31, 1870, amounts to 3,114,909 bales. This represents the produce of nine States, in all of which there has been a marked increase over the crop of last year, and in five of which there has been an increase when compared with the full crop of the year ending August, 1866. The aggregate for the year is 694,025 bales more than that of the crop 1869-'6, and 455,809 bales more than that of the crop 1867-'8. The grand total of shipments for the year just closed has been 3,173,559 bales, showing an increase over last year of 716,818 bales. The total of bales taken for home consumption during the year has been 897,186, showing a decrease of 66,870 bales when compared with 1868-'9, and of 104,463 when compared with 1867-'8. When compared with ante-war years, we find that the present year's crop is larger than that of any year preceding 1859-'60, with the single exception of 1862-'3, which slightly exceeds it. The average crop of the five years between September, 1855, and August, 1860, amounted to 2,250,515 bales, of which the crop of the present year only falls 705,996 bales short.

Paris is not, after all, to be considered "the last ditch" of French resistance. According to the latest Parisian files, the City of Bourges, situated in the Department of the Cher [illegible]

on a canal connecting the river of that name with the Loire, is to become the central position of defense in the event of Paris being captured. Placed in the very heart of France, and being at once a great railway centre and a depot of the iron manufacture, Bourges was designated by the law of July 3, 1861, as the point where a great internal stronghold should be formed as the last refuge of a defeated army and a still unconquered people. The first step to be taken toward this was the concentration there of all the gun foundries and other establishments devoted to the production of munitions of war. In spite of liberal money votes, however, both by the national and local authorities, the transformation of Bourges into a central arsenal had not commenced when the war broke out. But the advantages of its situation as a great rallying point still exist, and in the last extremity of France may still be taken advantage of.

AMUSEMENTS.

Theatrical.

OPENING OF LINA EDWARD'S THEATER.

Still another new theatre opened its doors on Monday night. The hall opposite the New-York Hotel, which was once graced by burnt cork, bones, conundrums, and other joys indicated to the convivial propensities of injured Africa, has been transformed into a very pretty little play-house, and christened by the above title. Considerable taste and judgment have been shown in its decoration and arrangement. The seats are comfortable, the colors inoffensive, the cliptical dome in the ceiling is sightly as well as good for sound, and the halls and aisles are judiciously guarded against the often troublesome noise of feet. Lastly, and as important as rare, the ventilation of the place is decent, so that the alternations of roasting and freezing, which so often make attendance at theatres an unwholesome penance, are happily dispensed with. For the rest, the auditorium was provided on the first night with civil ushers and an orchestra respectable in numbers and variety of selection, if not yet in the best form attainable by association and practice.

As regards the company it may be said that we have seen better—and worse. The first piece was a comedy called "A Bird in Hand is Worth Two in the Bush." Almost any other familiar proverb would be as apposite to the context. The language and situations are at once conventional, stilted and incredible. The names of the characters—*Prodigal, Prunesworthy, Sharke*, &c.—are of the descriptive dramatic nomenclature of a hundred years ago. Most of the performers took great pains and were sadly exaggerated. Mr. HARRY JACKSON is a capable actor, with a well-defined notion of what he would be at, and quite intelligence enough to know that the very high coloring he gave *Sharke* is unnatural, and consequently inartistic. Mr. WALTER GRISDALE is a gentleman of admirable intentions, and, with somewhat less elaborateness of elocution and an easier manner, will make progress. Mr. EDWIN THORNE makes a respectable *Reginald*, albeit, in the matter of enunciation, he sometimes stumbles on Charybdis while Mr. GRISDALE is grappling with Scylla. Miss AMELIA HARRIS quite succeeds in filling the vulgar and pretentious outlines of *Madame Prodigal*, and Miss LIZZIE ELDRIDGE is fitted in *Ellen* to a nicety. When all is said, however, the comedy is hardly worthy of the actors, so that its acceptance for any long time is neither to be looked for nor desired.

The after-piece, the familiar burlesque of "Black-Eyed Susan," was much better. Mr. STUART ROBSON, the *Captain Crosstree*, is a comedian of finish and discrimination, and he possesses not only a fine sense of humor, but the less common faculty of making it dramatically available. The merit of his *Captain Crosstree* consists in the fact that, while it is exceedingly broad, it is not coarse, and that, consequently, the cup of laughter he gives us to quaff has nothing of bitter at the bottom to leave a disagreeable reminiscence. This cannot be said, without reservation, of all his associates. But it is not given to all to have so refined a feeling for fun as Mr. ROBSON, or to have so quick an eye for the distinction between burlesque and extravagance. Miss LIZA EDWIN, the fair manager, was received on her appearance as *Susan* with an enthusiastic cordiality that implied appreciation of her enterprise, as well as of her talents as an actress. She was gaily and sumptuously dressed, and did her utmost to develop the capacities for effect of a part requiring exceptional ability and experience. Miss EMMA CLIFF was vastly acceptable to her audience as *William*, and sang, among other songs, one in French—a melodious excerpt from OFFENBACH—that revived and, if not otherwise unpleasant, memories of Mlle. IDA. Mr. HARRY SHERRIN was very good in the *Dane*, and did not overact. This self-control others of the company would do well to imitate. One of the last things learned by most people who try to act burlesque is that the staple or basis of such representation is not fun, but seriousness. The audience, for the most part, can do the laughter; and this laughter legitimately arises from the gravity with which things ludicrous or puerile are said and done. When a set of performers go off into convulsions of hilarity over their own humor or funny appearance, the spirit and effervescence of the sport are gone, and nothing is left but what is flat and unprofitable.

The house was crowded on Monday night, and every disposition was shown to give Miss EDWIN's experiment hearty encouragement. She needs a few more pretty faces, and her stage manager should be a trifle stricter as regards what are termed "gags." There seems otherwise good reason to think that, with care and perseverance, her undertaking may prove profitable, as well as in a business sense successful.

Musical.

GERMAN OPERA AT THE STADT.

Operatic performances in German, whenever given at what are termed popular prices, have usually been extremely successful. The conditions of their prosperity, it is true, do not permit the formation of a company of first-rate merit, but they are not sufficiently onerous to preclude the possibility of enjoying a representation of much swearness and of presumable interest. The entertainments now being given at the Stadt Theatre prove a recognition of these facts. The artists have earnestness and talent, and the voice of Fraulein LOUISE LICHTNAY, the soprano singer, is still fresh, as well as flexible, strong, and extended. "Il Trovatore" was interpreted last evening by this lady and her associates, in presence of an immense and most enthusiastic audience. Herr BERNARD, a denouement, whose occasional uncertainty of attack—witness the first note of the *Di Quella Pira*—may be attributable to the uneasiness of a first appearance before an assemblage of strangers, shared the honors of the affair with Fraulein LICHTNAY. It is needless to write at greater length of the interpretation of a work so familiar as "Il Trovatore," than to say that it was given with spirit and fidelity, yesterday. The change of bill which is to be made every night will offer a better opportunity than does a *debut* to speak with decisiveness of the claims of the performers to attention.

THE BILSON CONCERTS.

The sale of seats for the Bilson Concerts will be commenced to-morrow morning at Steinway Hall. Seats for the series of six concerts and one matinée will be sold at the rate of $10 per set, and seats for three alternate concerts can be had for $10. The sale of reserved seats for any one night will begin on Saturday.

The Illinois Coal-Miners' Strike.

A special dispatch from Morris, Ill., says: "A short time since nearly all the miners at BURNET & TELAPER's coal-mines, two miles east of this city, struck for 25 cents more per ton, which the coal company refused to pay. It is understood that BURNET & TELAPER have a contract with the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad to furnish a number of tons of coal immediately. If the miners do not commence work soon their places will be filled by new men."

POLITICAL.

NEW-YORK STATE.

Latest Nominations—The Temperance Party.

JOHN E. SEELY has been nominated by the Republicans as their candidate for Congress from the Twenty-fourth District of this State. There were two other candidates, the present incumbent, Hon. G. W. COWLES and GEORGE L. POST. On the third ballot Mr. SEELY received eighteen votes to Mr. COWLES' twelve. The Auburn *Advertiser* says that Mr. SEELY has been an active Republican ever since the organization of the party. Living in a county largely Democratic, he has yet always worked for the cause with the same energy as if he was largely in the majority.

The Temperance Party Convention is to assemble at Binghamton, in this State, on to-morrow, the 15th inst. In anticipation of what may follow, the Binghamton *Republican* says that "the electors of Broome County had no reason to anticipate from the past than any other time advocates of temperance principles would be put in nomination by the Republican Convention. It is not the custom to nominate others. Nearly all Republicans are temperance men; temperance men are nearly all Republicans; hence there can be no issue as between them that does not affect both."

Capt. JOHN ACKER, of Columbia County, candidate for Secretary of State, is spoken of as a most formidable competitor for the Democratic nomination in the Twelfth Congressional District. ALFRED T. ACKERT, of Rhinebeck, is also looking for the nomination.

"The Democratic papers," says the Albany *Journal*, "had their batteries all ready to open fire upon the position which they supposed the Republicans would take. But their conceitship was unequal to Republican strategy. When our column was put in line, they discovered, to their chagrin, that their artillery wouldn't hit the mark at all. And now it is highly amusing to witness the exhibitions of their mortification and rage at our complete disappointment. All their present attempts to disparage the ticket meet with and nothing more."

GENERAL NOTES.

Registration commences in Maryland on Monday next, 19th inst.

P. L. N. HARVEY, the present incumbent, and P. L. SHOEMAKER, the Republican nominee for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor of Kansas.

JOHN H. CROXTON is the Democratic nominee for Governor in Nebraska, and GEORGE B. LAKE for Congress.

ANDREW JOHNSON is charged with the authorship of the resolutions of a Democratic meeting held recently at his home in Greenville, Tenn.

Judge THOMAS BOLES has been nominated for Congress by the Republicans in the Third District of Arkansas. He was elected to the Forty-first Congress by 1,000 majority.

The Democratic Conservative Convention of Kent County, Md., has instructed its delegates to vote for the renomination of Hon. SAMUEL HAMMETON, of Talbot, for Congress.

At a Democratic Convention in the Louisville, Ky., Congressional District, Hon. BOYD WINCHESTER, the present member, was nominated on the first ballot. This is equivalent to his re-election.

Hon. GEORGE W. HAZLETON, of Columbia, Wis., is the Republican candidate for Congress to succeed Gen. ATWOOD, in the Second District of that State. In the Sixth District, Gen. JEREMIAH M. RUSK, of Vernon, is the Republican candidate for Congress.

The Republican ticket for Congressmen in Maryland is now complete: First District, HENRY H. TOBBETT, of Queen; Second District, WILLIAM M. MARINE, of Baltimore; Third District, R. STOCKETT MATTHEWS, of Baltimore; Fourth District, JOHN E. SMITH, of Carroll; Fifth District, JAMES A. GARY, of Howard.

Senator DRAKE, of Missouri, who has been absent in New-England since the adjournment of Congress, arrived at Washington on Sunday on his way to Missouri, where he will take the field in favor of the re-election of Gov. MCCLURG. Mr. DRAKE thinks that the election of GRATZ BROWN would place Missouri under the control of the Democracy.

"A newspaper in this city," says the Chicago *Tribune*, "tells us that it throws the sixth resolution of the Illinois Republican platform out of the window. This newspaper has been thrown out of so many windows and doors that the process is a familiar one, and we are not surprised that the latter experiment of its disapprobation should take that form."

The Boston *Post* thinks that the letter of WENDELL PHILLIPS, accepting the Gubernatorial nomination of the Labor Reform Party, is disingenuous and shallow. "The agitator who has hitherto made grimaces at all laws and constitutions from the platform," says that journal, "now calls upon law to perform impossibilities, and those who have all his life been preaching individual force, now comes forward an avowed socialist."

Judge ROBERT C. PITMAN has been nominated by the Labor Reformers in the First (Massachusetts) District. The Springfield *Republican*, in allusion to the nomination of Judge PITMAN, says: "Now if the prohibition and honest Republicans in the district will cast their votes for him, there is a chance that he may be elected, though the New-Bedford papers laugh incredulously when the possibility of anything but the return of BURLINGTON is mentioned."

"It is amusing," says the Dayton *Journal*, "to notice the boasting of some of the Democratic papers over the gains in Vermont. One brags of a gain of four members of the Legislature, which gives the Democrats as far as heard from, while the Republicans have only 100! The full returns give the Republicans 200 or more, and the Democrats twenty-five or thirty' all told. There is not much 'tidal wave' in the gain of four members of the Legislature."

"Never before," says the Lebanon *Star*, "did any party in Ohio present a stronger array of talent than the Republican Party now does in her candidates for Congress. The names of SCHENCK, GARFIELD, BINGHAM, SHELLABARGER, and AARON F. PERRY, are towers of strength. Not only are they men known and honored throughout the Union, but they are all staunch men of principle and far further removed from truckle or trimming characters. On the other hand, the Democratic list of candidates presents such names as CAREY, CAMPBELL and HUSSELL, all renegades and demagogues."

At a County Convention, recently held in Illinois, Hon. HORATIO SEYMOUR being present, was called upon for a speech, but he managed to dodge political subjects from the beginning to the end of his remarks. The following is a fair sample of what he said: "We trust that the system of intercourse between the different States may be so improved and cheapened that trade shall flow more freely than it has heretofore. We trust, too, that the trammels of commerce that may have been laid upon it under the influence of private interests may all be wiped away, and the great American people shall establish, not only between themselves and all sections of our country, fraternal relationship, but, as far as we may, with the people of the whole world; we will open the doors to that commerce which is the highest civilizer, for it is commerce which is the guide to the highest civilization of the world. But, unconsciously, I find myself drifting into a speech, where I meant merely to return thanks for this kind reception. I shall go home again, when I return to the East, with pleasant recollections of having met so kind a greeting at your hands, meeting you in convention under so kindly feeling than perhaps some persons of your community might show, although I have no right to complain that even political prejudice has never brought to me, in the West but one scene of friendly intercourse and kindness."

THE YOUNG DEMOCRACY.

Enthusiastic Meeting Last Night at Apollo Hall—Organization of the General Committee—Tammany Denounced.

The General Committee of the Young Democracy assembled last evening in Apollo Hall for the purpose of effecting an organization. The attendance was very large, and among those present were the greater number of the leaders, including Judge TARRANT, HENRY L. CLINTON, Sheriff O'BRIEN, ROSWELL D. HAYES, Judges LEDWITH and HOGAN, and several others equally well known. At 8 o'clock the meeting was called to order by the temporary President, JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Esq., and after the usual preliminaries, Judge W. C. BARRETT came forward and read the following names for permanent officers of the organization: President, JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL; Vice-Presidents—E. A. Enright, First Ward; Andrew Blake, Second Ward; Arthur Holliday, Third Ward; Wm. T. Kirk, Fourth Ward; Wm. H. Crane, Fifth Ward; John T. Donohue, Sixth Ward; Lawrence E. Golden, Seventh Ward; George Kenkner, Eighth Ward; George T. McKnight, Ninth Ward; James F. Biedenhoff, Tenth Ward; Peter Going, Eleventh Ward; Wm. S. Billyer, Twelfth Ward; Patrick J. McAleer, Thirteenth Ward; James E. Monahan, Fourteenth Ward; Paul D. Spear, Fifteenth Ward; Edward Bolton, Sixteenth Ward; Francis B. V. Ewing, Seventeenth Ward; Francis Vilelle, Eighteenth Ward; John A. Steamler, Nineteenth Ward; Thos. Maher, Twentieth Ward; Henry L. Clinton, Twenty-first Ward, and R. D. S. Jackson, Twenty-second Ward. Secretaries—Messrs. R. D. Hatch, Jacob Rehfuss and W. H. Mooney. Treasurer—Nelson J. Tappan. These names having been put to the meeting were unanimously adopted.

Justices LEDWITH and HOGAN then escorted the newly-elected officers, when the President, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, came forward and said he felt the responsibilities of his new position, but would exhaust it to the best of his ability and energy, and it required energy and sincerity on the part of those all to enable them to succeed in saving the City from the tyranny of the "Ring" which is now pulling it down. They should all realize the vast responsibility they had taken on themselves, and stand together in their efforts to purify the ballot-box and elect honest men who really the choice of the great mass of the people. To accomplish this purpose it was necessary that there should be fidelity, integrity and unanimity among them, and that that free expression of opinion which was the right of all citizens should prevail in their councils.

On motion of Gen. BILLYER, Thursday night next was selected for the holding of Primaries to select representatives, who will meet next Saturday, in the same place, and elect delegates to the approaching Convention at Rochester. A number of inspectors were appointed, and the places for holding the primaries chosen by the Executive Committee.

A resolution condemning Mayor HALL for having, as alleged, given orders to the Police to arrest newsboys for selling an evening paper favorable to this organization, was passed with acclamation.

HENRY L. CLINTON next came forward, and opened his remarks by saying that there was a time when the Democratic Executive Committee represented the true worth of the Democracy, but today it is controlled by a few forming a corrupt "ring," who some time ago, when staunch Democrats desired to carry measures beneficial to the City, shut the doors of Tammany Hall against them, notwithstanding the fact that their master, the grand sachem, had previously signed his name to the call for such a meeting. Why did they do so? Why did they go back on the promises they had made? Why? Because they well knew that a large majority of the Committee were opposed to their system of conducting the affairs of this City. These who took to themselves to close the Hall against the real Democracy were but eleven in number, all officers of the Organization, but minutes of a secret society that was not alone spread over the City and State, but through the greater portion of the United States. Those who were shut out belonged to no secret society. They were the honest Democrats—the men who worked at stone and mortar, and were honest to all in their dealings. These were the Democrats who were shut out by eleven members of a secret society. When the genuine Democracy are prevented from entering Tammany Hall it is time they should have their own hall where they could meet. If Tammany, Tammany Hall, as it now stands, may be fittingly called the "Democratic dead and dumb asylum." It is such now, and none can enter without bowing the knee to the members of the secret society. Then will you support men who shut the doors against you because you desire to adopt measures for the benefit of the City of New-York? Mr. CLINTON proceeded to ridicule the idea of sending police to guard Tammany, and said Mr. TWEED took the train for Albany that night, as he did not feel himself safe until he was under the guns of the Capitol.

Adjournment followed, after very severely, the speaker said that the Young Democracy would vote for no man who did not pledge himself to repeal the tyrannical provisions of the charter. He concluded by saying that succeed or fail, sink or swim, the people of New-York would never give up the right to govern themselves.

A resolution was then proposed that a committee be appointed to adopt such means for the enforcement of the late law of Congress against fraudulent elections, and against such tricks of Tammany Hall as well known as stuffing boxes.

After some time spent in the evening in the organization by every Tuesday after the State Convention, the meeting then adjourned in a very orderly manner.

LOCAL POLITICS.

Sixteenth Assembly District Union Republican Association—Rival Delegations—A Lively Time.

A special meeting of the members of the Sixteenth Assembly District Union Republican Association was held, last evening, at their head-quarters, No. 99 Third-avenue, the President, Mr. WM. ATKINSON, in the chair.

Col. BENNEY, on behalf of the delegation detailed to attend the State Convention at Saratoga, reported the result of their labors and the unexpected outrage which rendered their presence there futile, and declared elective franchise a farce and a fraud. On their arrival at Saratoga they found to their astonishment that Mr. MICHAEL CARRIGAN had already claimed to be elected to represent the Sixteenth Assembly District, and in support of his statement produced an affidavit sworn to before Mr. LUSK, Notary Public, alleging that at the primary election his ticket had been carried by a majority of seven-seventy. To this affidavit Mr. LUSK refused to give his affirmation, and, on an examination of the names attached to it, it was ascertained that they were either forgeries or that the men who were accredited as having voted at the primary were miles away at the time. The facts were laid before him, (Col. BENNEY,) for he had been elected by a clear majority of two hundred. But it was evident it was the intention of a certain party in the Convention to rule them out, for they were pledged to support Mr. GREELEY, believing him to be the candidate who would most faithfully represent the feelings of the honest majority of the people. He was willing to bring proof of the falsity of the document by which CARRIGAN endeavored to gain admission to the Convention; but that privilege was denied him, and the Union, with his associates, represented that district in the debate. The candidate for whom he had intended to vote was defeated, but although he felt much aggrieved at the outrage which had been perpetrated he was willing to sink all personal quarrels and social dissensions in view of the approaching campaign, and all turn Republicans in maintaining WOODFORD and KAUFMAN.

Mr. RAYMOND indorsed the remarks of Col. BENNEY, and continued to say that during the discussion at Saratoga, Mr. LUSK admitted to him that all the men whose names were attached to the affidavit had not been sworn before him.

Mr. RAYMOND—The gentleman states what he knows to be false.

Mr. LUSK was here understood to use the expression "liar," and a good deal of confusion was created.

Several speakers here called for a motion for the expulsion of Mr. CARRIGAN and those who refused their names to the affidavit from the Association.

Resolutions were then proposed calling for the expulsion of the leaders of the opposing party and appointing a committee with a view to inflict such punishment as would prevent the repetition of such an outrage.

Col. BENNEY counseled moderation, and advised them to take no action which would be prejudicial to the Republican interest during the coming campaign.

An amendment was moved that a committee be appointed to investigate the whole matter, and that no report be made until after the election.

The amendment was finally adopted, and the Chairman appointed a committee of three for the purpose.

The meeting then adjourned.

Kings County Republican General Committee.

The Republican General Committee of Kings County met last evening in Brooklyn. A communication was received from the Sixteenth Ward Association, in which the expulsion of Messrs. R. J. RUDD and GEORGE H. LINDSAY was announced for malfeasance in office. They were inspectors at the late primary election, and while engaged in that capacity, it is alleged, stuffed the ballot-box and otherwise violated the rights of voters. In their place the names of M. J. PERRY and JOSEPH S. BOWEN were submitted for examination. The latter is a well-known man. The matter was referred to the Executive Committee for confirmation. Mr. BOWEN, in answer to a general call, took the floor and made a few remarks in support of his right to occupy the vacant seat, which were loudly applauded. The Committee then adjourned.

Colored Woodford and Kaufman Club.

A meeting of colored voters was held, last evening, at the Spring-street House, for the purpose of organizing a Woodford and Kaufman Club. The meeting was well attended and was called to order by Mr. FRANCIS, who stated its object. Officers were elected, and Mr. GEORGE MYERS offered the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we form ourselves into an organization for the purpose of augmenting our strength and furthering the interests of the Republican Party in the coming campaign.

Resolved, That we be known by the name and title of the Woodford and Kaufman Club of the City of New-York. Be it also

Resolved, That we invite our colored brethren, voters of this City, to enroll themselves with us and to assist in electing the Republican State ticket, as our choice for Gov. GRANT, Gen. WOODFORD and gentlemen.

The meeting then adjourned, with cheers for the candidates.

Tammany Reform Primaries.

The new Tammany Hall Democratic Reform Association held primary elections in several wards, last evening, and elected four delegates from each election district to the Ward and General Committees, and a President, five Vice-Presidents and Secretaries for each ward organization. This is a new organization, under the leadership of JACOB COHEN, the defeated candidate for Supervisor, and its ostensible object is to reform Tammany, or, in the event of failure, to supersede it.

Eighth Ward Democratic Committee.

A special meeting of the Eighth Ward Democratic Committee was held last night at No. 148 Spring-street, at which there was a very numerous attendance of members, and great enthusiasm and unanimity were manifested. HENRY WEISSER, President, occupied the chair. Several speakers having addressed the meeting, a resolution was put in and passed with acclamation to the effect that the general feeling of Democrats was in favor of the re-election of Gov. HOFFMAN; that the meeting was perfectly satisfied with his conduct in the past; and that if nominated, as they hoped he would at Rochester, his election to the Governorship was certain. Three cheers were then given for Gov. HOFFMAN, after which the meeting adjourned.

New Matthew T. Brennan Club.

Among the most successful of the numerous Matthew T. Brennan Clubs now in the City is that of the Fifteenth Ward, numbering, as it does, over 400 members, 100 of which were present at the meeting of last evening, at the rooms, No. 58 Bleecker-street. After other business had been transacted, last night, a nicely painted portrait of Mr. BRENNAN was presented to the organization. The officers are E. McGHIL, President, and J. CARPENTER, Secretary.

Democratic Primaries in Staten Island.

Politics are now in full blast on Staten Island, and last night there was no small excitement there over the Democratic primaries which were being held in almost every village in the county. The Democrats are much divided among themselves, and hence the unusual interest attached to last night's proceedings. For local offices there are nearly half a dozen candidates for each place, and for Assembly and Congress the proportion is nearly the same. The coming election will be the liveliest ever held in Richmond County.

Fifth Ward Democratic Committee.

The members of the Fifth Ward Democratic Committee held a special meeting last night, at No. 187 West Broadway, F. P. KIMBER, President, in the chair. A resolution was passed unanimously indorsing Gov. HOFFMAN as candidate for re-election to the office he fills.

Political Brevities.

A large meeting of the citizens of the Seventh Assembly District was held, last evening, at the Republican head-quarters, No. 780 Broadway. A Woodford and Kaufman Campaign Club was organized for active operations in the coming canvass. The following persons were elected officers of the Club: JOSEPH W. HOWE, President; Charles J. Livingston, Ben. Nelson, W. Turpin, Geo. Q. Fielding, Geo. Fox, Geo. Coon, and Samuel Longstreet, Vice-Presidents; E. F. Dunning, Jr., Corresponding Secretary; Thos. L. Thornell, Recording Secretary; Gen. Lloyd Aspinwall, Treasurer. An Executive Committee was elected, composed of Hon. Wm. Mitchell, E. D. Benedict, John J. Knox, Willard Parker, D. D. Edwards, Ellsworth, Owen W. Brennan, Henry Thompson, Salem T. Bussell, Herman Suckow, C. R. Mitchell, and many others. Eloquent speeches were made by Wm. F. RICHARDSON, J. P. HALL, and other gentlemen. The head-quarters will be open day and evening during the campaign.

An adjourned meeting of the Woodford and Kaufman Club of the Sixth Assembly District was held last evening to complete their organization. The following persons were chosen as permanent officers: Isaac BRIGGS, President; James Brown and WILLIAM O'HARA, Vice-Presidents. An executive committee of fifty were elected, and will meet at the corner of Pitt and Brown streets on Thursday evening.

A meeting of the Boys in Blue of the Fourteenth Assembly District will be held this Tuesday evening, this evening, for the purpose of devising measures for aiding the cause of WOODFORD and KAUFMAN.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Democratic Convention in Tennessee—The Administration Assailed.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 13.—The Conservative and Democratic Convention met at the Capital, today. JOHN C. BROWN was nominated Governor. A platform was adopted, declaring that all the Southern States should be restored to their rights under the Federal Constitution; that the disabilities of all citizens should be removed; denouncing the present tariff and the substitute proposed by the Committee of Ways and Means; declaring the system of internal revenue oppressive, and demanding a reform; denouncing the policy of the present Administration; declaring the law to enforce the Fifteenth Amendment unconstitutional, and urging its repeal; demanding a tax on all Federal bonds; opposing national banks, and proposing a repeal of the law creating them and the substitution of Treasury notes; sympathizing with all people struggling for self-government; denouncing the party in power for reducing to a state of vassalage the Federal Government; declaring the policy of the present Administration subversive to State rights, an invasion of the Federal Constitution, and, unless repudiated, would result in the destruction of republican liberty; thanking the Democrats of the North for supporting these principles, and pledging the Democracy of Tennessee to unite with them in maintaining the rights of the Government. The Convention was largely attended, and the proceedings harmonious.

Labor Reform Convention at Syracuse—A Full State Ticket Nominated.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 13.—The Convention of the Labor Reform Party, held here today, made the following nominations: For Governor, JAS. S. GRAHAM, of Monroe County; for Lieutenant-Governor, CONRAD KUHN, of New-York; for Controller, PETER J. KINNEY, of Kings County; for Canal Commissioner, JOHN B. RATH, of Onondaga County, and CHARLES C. BARNETT, of Madison County; for Inspector of State Prisons, H. A. HOWES, of Onondaga County....Prof. COX made a successful balloon ascension here today. He was up two hours, and landed a few miles west of the city.

Congressional Nominations—A Dispute Settled in Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 13.—In the case of dispute between O'NEILL and CHESLEY, the in-land Congressional District delegates to the Second Congressional District Convention, in accordance with the decision of the Executive Committee of the Republican Central Committee, assembled here this morning for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress. A ballot was taken, resulting as follows: John V. Creesley, 64; John P. Wetherill, 9; Hon. Charles O'Neill, 1; C. A. Walborn, 1. On motion, the nomination of Mr. CRESLEY was made unanimous. The difference is thus finally settled, which threatened to defeat the Republicans in the Second District.

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 13.—At the Cartersville Democratic Convention, Gen. H. M. B. YOUNG was unanimously nominated today for the Forty-first—Forty-second Congress. The Convention recommend the nomination of James but those who were eligible.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 13.—Hon. MILTON SAYLER's acceptance of the Democratic nomination for Congress in the First District is published this morning.

BINGHAMTON, Sept. 13.—The Broome County Republican Convention this afternoon nominated unanimously Hon. WILLIAM H. ROY for the Assembly. WILLIAM B. EDWARDS was named for County Judge, and JOSEPH N. JOHNSON for County Clerk.

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 13.—The Republican Congressional Convention of the Third District, composed of thirteen wards of this city, which met on the 1st of September, failed to make a nomination, owing to a contest between the friends of R. STOCKETT MATTHEWS and Gen. ADAM E. KING. Subsequently a portion of the delegates met and nominated the former gentleman for Congress. Today the delegates preferring Gen. KING met, and nominated him. Both gentlemen have accepted nomination.

Base-Ball—Olympics vs. Mutuals.

The game of the Olympics and Mutuals of Washington, against the Mutuals, yesterday, was witnessed by many who expected to see, after their close game with the Atlantics, an exciting game. They were never more deceived, for the Olympics were playing the New-Yorkers took the game, and made it first base to the Olympics. It was thought a lively ball was used, as the ball rebounded several instances. On examination, the ball contained but half an ounce of rubber, and was the same as used the day before. Below is the score:

MUTUAL.

Winfield, s. s.	5	2	1	1	Young, p.	4	1	1	1	1	Ferguson, 2d b.	4	1	1	1	1	Ferguson, 2d b.	4	1	1	1	1
Eggler, c. f.	4	2	2	2	Leonard, 1st b.	4	1	1	1	1	Hatfield, c. f.	4	1	1	1	1	Hatfield, c. f.	4	1	1	1	1
Patterson, 1st b.	3	2	2	2	Hall, c. f.	4	1	1	1	1	Berthalon, c. f.	4	1	1	1	1	Berthalon, c. f.	4	1	1	1	1
Nelson, 2d b.	3	2	2	2	Hall, 2d b.	4	1	1	1	1	Hall, 2d b.	4	1	1	1	1	Hall, 2d b.	4	1	1	1	1
E. Mills, 1st b.	4	2	2	2	Hall, 3d b.	4	1	1	1	1	Hall, 3d b.	4	1	1	1	1	Hall, 3d b.	4	1	1	1	1
Martin, r. f.	4	2	2	2	Hall, s. s.	4	1	1	1	1	Hall, s. s.	4	1	1	1	1	Hall, s. s.	4	1	1	1	1
D. Mills, c.	4	2	2	2	Hall, c.	4	1	1	1	1	Hall, c.	4	1	1	1	1	Hall, c.	4	1	1	1	1
Wolters, p.	4	2	2	2	Hall, r. f.	4	1	1	1	1	Hall, r. f.	4	1	1	1	1	Hall, r. f.	4	1	1	1	1
Swandell, 2d b.	3	2	2	2	Hall, p.	4	1	1	1	1	Hall, p.	4	1	1	1	1	Hall, p.	4	1	1	1	1
Total	37	18	18	18	Total	37	6	7	7	10	Total	37	6	7	7	10	Total	37	6	7	7	10

	1st.	2d.	3d.	4th.	5th.	6th.	7th.	8th.	9th.
Mutuals	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Olympics	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

UMPIRE—Mr. CHAPMAN, of the Atlantic Club.

GENERAL TELEGRAMS.

RED RIVER.

Intense Excitement Among the Wounded Population—The Canadian Authorities Assumed of Further Government by the Troops—Rebellion Likely to be Renewed.

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—The St. Paul *Press* of yesterday morning says that a gentleman who has just arrived from Fort Garry informs them that fierce exasperation prevails among the French population there, at the perfidious violation of the pledges made by the Canadian Government, and by Minister THORNTON to Secretary FISH, whereby the unopposed entrance of Canadian troops was secured. This gentleman was told by RIEL, the day before the troops Arrived, that all had been satisfactorily arranged, and that he was awaiting the coming of the newly-appointed Governor, ADMIRAL WITH his troops, to turn over the Government to him. Until the arrival of troops within a few miles of Fort Garry he was confident that their arrangements would be carried out in good faith, and that the troops had no other than pacific intentions, while their commander and the Government had promised, and that Gov. ADMIRAL was to arrive before them and receive the Government at their hands. These assurances had been given him by Bishop TACHE on behalf of Gov. ADMIRAL and the Canadian Government, but at daylight on the 24th of August word was brought him that the troops were advancing up the Red River from Stone Fort, and were making preparations of everybody passing through their line, that they were in fighting array, capturing horses and mounting them with riflemen, and with artillery limbered, and making every preparation for battle. RIEL saw at once that he had been deceived, and that these warlike demonstrations were in mockery with no enemy in front but a handful (the purposes) and that it was a treacherous ambuscade and a surprise under a flag of truce, and that he and his colleagues of the Provisional Government were to be the victims. RIEL, DOUBLOIS and LEPIN, and a few friends, at once took horse and fled, RIEL going to American territory. As the troops entered Fort Garry they loudly demanded of everybody where RIEL was, declaring they would shoot him at sight. Everybody was arrested who was pointed out as having any connection with RIEL's movements. On the day of the arrival of the troops, they were paid off, and let loose upon a settlement, which they turned into a pandemonium. Gov. ADMIRAL had not yet arrived. The French half-breed population were intensely excited by these events. The elements of a rebellion are for more formidable than ever, and are ready to burst forth into a flame any moment. There is a story, which is vouched for by good authority, that RIEL and his colleagues left Fort Garry and the country upon the advice of Bishop TACHE, on the assurance that, after Gov. ADMIRAL's arrival, all would be well.

GENERAL EUROPEAN NEWS.

The Italians in the Papal Dominions—The Revolutionary Committee Proclaims the Republic at Rome—Gen. Sickles Remonstrates.

FLORENCE, Sept. 13.—The Italians are enthusiastically welcomed in the Papal States. Gen. CADORNA, who is in command, has issued a proclamation guaranteeing the inviolability of the independence of the Holy See, and refusing to make war against the Papal States....The Pope has ordered the cessation of all resistance to the occupation of the Papal States by the Italian troops. A large steamer has left Marseilles for Civita Vecchia to bring back the Pontifical Zouaves and other French soldiers in the Papal service....The Baron DE MALLARET, French Ambassador to Italy, has been recalled by his Government.

ROME, Sept. 13.—Immense posters have been placarded on the dead walls of the city, proclaiming the universal Italian Republic. The document is signed by the Republican Revolutionary Committee.

MADRID, Sept. 13.—Mr. SICKLES, the American Minister, for some weeks past has been rusticating, occasionally visiting the capital. Last week an armed party stopped the usual diligence, and demanded Mr. SICKLES by name, but, fortunately, he was not there. The Government now supplies him with a guard for their incessant journeys.

Proclamation by the King of Italy—The Papacy, &c., Remain Inviolate—The Papal Troops Refusing to Fight the Italians.

FLORENCE, Sept. 13.—A proclamation issued by the King to the Romans says peace, order and self-government—not war, are brought and offered by the Italians; and the Papacy will remain inviolate. Demonstrations were made at Terracina in favor of Italian occupation. The Papal troops refused to fight the national soldiers. Gen. BISCIO, who commands the advance, encounters no resistance. The railway to Rome is in the hands of the Italians, but it has been cut by the retreating forces of the Pope.

Wreck on the Goodwin Sands—Defects in Our Postal Arrangements With England—The Chinese Preparing for War.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The shipwreck on Goodwin Sands, detailed in these dispatches a few days ago, is still unidentified. One vessel, as before stated, reports having seen the word "New-York," on the stern of the wreck. Another vessel, which left the scene later, reports being unable to see even that much. Only the letter "O" was seen on the stern. The cargo of the wrecked vessel was made up in good part of tobacco. The casks were marked with a letter "O" in a diamond, and the letter "H" underneath. She was evidently from an American port. Owing to the present unsatisfactory postal arrangements with America, bills are constantly arriving here only to be protested, because the letters of advice, which are sent by slower steamers, arrive too late....A dispatch from China, received here today through Russia, contains unfavorable intelligence. The Chinese are preparing for war. Further outrages have been committed on missionaries.

New Governor of Gibraltar—Another Vessel Wrecked.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—Gen. WILLIAMS, the gallant defender of Kars, has been appointed Governor of Gibraltar....The bark Volante, from St. John's, for a British port, went ashore off the north coast of Ireland, and is a total loss.

THE PACIFIC COAST.

Important Failure in San Francisco—Mr. Sawyer's Health Improved—Congressional Nominations—Meeting of the Oregon Legislature.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—The California Building and Loan Society suspended payment today. An examination of the assets of the concern show a deficiency of some $300,000. THOS. MOONEY, President of the Society, disappeared several days ago....A letter from WEBSTER H. SAWYER, dated at sea, Sept. 6, says his health is much improved....The bark *Jonathan Glover*, from Yokohama, brings a cargo of rice, to be shipped, in b

CITY GOVERNMENT.

Board of Assistant Aldermen—Special Session.

[OFFICIAL.]

MONDAY, Sept. 12, 1870—3 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in their Chamber, Lamber Sickels City Hall, pursuant to adjournment.

Present—John Galvin, President, in the chair, and the following members:

Aldermen Aldermen Haught, Robinson, Healy, Parker, Mulligan, Barker, Kelly, Littlefield, Reilmer, Gerry, Thomas Duffy, McCarthy—12.

The minutes of the meeting held August twenty-nine were read and approved.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman Thomas Duffy—

Petition and resolution, to place street lamps in front of St. Thomas' Church; also, petition and resolution, to lay gas mains and light street lamps in Sixty-sixth street, between Third and Fifth avenues.

Which was laid over.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Assistant Alderman Littlefield—

To appoint Henry E. Lynch a Commissioner of Deeds, vice J. Seebacker, resigned.

Which was adopted.

By Assistant Alderman Lynaghi—

To permit Legrett & Storms to place and light two street lamps, at their own expense, in front in numbers forty-four and forty-six Chatham-street.

Which was adopted.

By Assistant Alderman Barker—

To permit Daniel Bryant to place a large ornamental lamp on lamp-post now standing on south side of Fourteenth-street, about one hundred and twenty feet east of Seventh-avenue and Twenty-third-street; also, same on the east corner of Sixth-avenue and Twenty-third-street; also, same on north-east corner of Seventh-avenue and Twenty-third-street.

Which was adopted.

By Assistant Alderman Forbes—

To flag sidewalk in front of numbers four hundred and four and four hundred and eight-street, and four hundred and seventeen West Forty-fourth-street.

Which was laid over.

By Assistant Alderman Mulligan—

To earth, gutter and flag in front of number three hundred and sixty Sixth-avenue.

Which was laid over.

By Assistant Alderman Duffy—

To lay gas mains, &c., to Fifty-second-street, from Second-avenue to East River.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

To procure and present a full sound of reserve to the First Regiment (Cavalry, National Guard, State of New-York).

Which was laid over.

By the same—

To earth, gutter and flag Fifty-fourth-street, from Third-avenue to East-River.

Which was laid over.

By Assistant Alderman Barker—

To lay a brick sidewalk in front of numbers four hundred and eighty-six and four hundred and eighty-eight Sixth-avenue.

Which was laid over.

By Assistant Alderman Reilmer—

To place and light a street lamp in front of number six hundred and eighty-nine Eighth-avenue.

Which was laid over.

By Assistant Alderman Barker—

To lay Belgian pavement in Twenty-sixth-street, from Sixth-avenue to North River.

Which was laid over.

By Assistant Alderman Forbes—

To place and light two street lamps in front of number seventy-four East Fourth-street.

Which was laid over.

By Assistant Alderman Littlefield—

To lay Belgian pavement in Ninth-avenue, on south side of Thirty-fourth-street to Forty-ninth-street.

Which was laid over.

MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board a message from the Mayor, transmitting a certified copy of a resolution made and issued by him at the ninth instant, fixing and declaring the day for the election of Assistant Aldermen, pursuant to law; also calling attention to the duty of the Common Council to appoint, before October one, places for registration and polling, and fixing certain compensation of first-mentioned to be taken of the account of the Federal census.

Which was referred to a joint special committee of five members of each branch of the Common Council, Aldermen Robinson, Reilmer, Barker, Forbes and Thomas Duffy and Healy being appointed on the part of this Board.

INVITATIONS.

From the "German Society" of Bloomingdale, to attend their annual Festival, at Deer Park, Thursday, fifteenth instant.

Which was accepted.

From the "Charles G. Orrisch Association" to attend their annual Festival, at East River Park, Wednesday, fourteenth instant.

Which was accepted.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From the President of the Department of Public Works, transmitting draft of an ordinance to create public stock for erecting and equipping an observatory and gallery of art in Central Park.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

From the Commissioner of Public Works, transmitting apportionments of assessments.

On motion, the Board then adjourned.

WM. H. MOLONEY, Clerk.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

There were no public sales yesterday, and but few attended the Exchange. The offerings advertised for today and to-morrow will doubtless attract large crowds, especially as the property to be sold is all located within the City limits. In the Times of yesterday we gave a summary of these offerings, which are to be sold by Messrs. A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., B. P. FAIRCHILD, and ADRIAN H. MULLER.

Transfers of Real Estate.

NEW-YORK.

Delancey-st., s. s., No. 279, 18.2x75. ..... $8,000
Livingston and Willoughby sts., s. e. corner, 25x70. 2,400
26th-st., s. s., 375 ft. e. of 2d-av., 25x102, h. and l. 9,000
Madison-st., s. s., 62 ft. e. of Gidney, 25x100, h. and l. 10,000
126-st., w. s., 20.2.8 ft. n. of 7th-st., 21.1x100. 8,000
25th-st. and 5th-st., s. e. corner, 24.8x100. 18,750

Leases Recorded.

Sth-av., No. 84, 18 years, per year. $1,200

BROOKLYN CITY COURTS.

Brooklyn.

Clay-st., s. s., 120 ft. w. of Oakland-st., 25x100. ..... $800
Grant-st., s. s., 21 ft. w. of land of Protestant Reformed Dutch Church, 21x102. 800
Hoyt and Baltic sts., n. e. cor., 175x100. 10,000
Hall-st., w. s., 208 feet n. of Willoughby-av., 16.8x100. 5,500
Bedford-place, 22.10 feet n. w. of 10th-st. and 100 ft. s. e. of 10th-st., 22x48.6x22x24. 4,500
Kosciusko-st., s. s., 80 ft. w. of Nostrand-av., 20x100. 1,000
Smith and Pacific sts., n. e. corner, 62x124. 15,000
North 5th-st., e. s., 150 ft. s. e. of 4th-av., 50x100. 15,000
12th-st., n. s., 139 ft. e. of 6th-av., 18.6x100. 3,500
De Kalb-av., s. s., 75 ft. e. of Bedford-av., 25x100. 600
Gates-av., s. s., and Hicks-st., n. s., 200 ft. w. of Pacific-av., 20x200. 10,000
Van Brunt-st., s. s., 100 ft. w. of Pacific-av., 60x100. 6,000
Union-st., s. s., 125 ft. e. of Smith-st., 25x100. 3,000
Schenck-av., e. s., 150 ft. s. of Broadway, 25x100. 1,000
Schenck-av., e. s., 75 ft. n. of Broadway, 25x100. 10,000
Bushwick-av., w. s., 100 ft. n. of Bayard-st., 25x100. 600
Vermont-st., e. s., 80 ft. n. of Bayard-st., 25x100. 600
Van Cott-av., n. s., 25 ft. s. of Stagg-st., 25x100. 900
Williamsburgh, e. s., 200 ft. s. of Atlantic-av., 18.8x100. 4,000
Washington and Classon ave., s. e. corner, 18.4x100. 700
227.9-st., n. s., 75 ft. w. of 10th-st., 22x75. 4,000

New-Lots.

Newark.

Boston-st., e. s., adjoining E. Murphy, 25x101.1. ..... $2,200
Clinton-st., e. s., 100 ft. n. of Orchard-st., 25x100. 400
Lafayette-st., s. s., 325 ft. w. of Hamburgh-place, 25x100. 900
Miller-st., s. s., 225 ft. e. of Avenue A, 25x100. 800
Sundry lots of Spenser's land, on Isaac Ac-South-Orange-av., 10,124. ..... $1,400

Jersey City.

Bowden-av., s. s., 100 ft. s. of Monticello-av., 25x161. ..... $1,000
Clinton-av., n. s., 323 ft. s. of Oakland-av., 25x100. 800
Payne-av., e. s., 100 ft. n. of Grand-st., 25x100. 3,000
West Grand-st., n. s., 325 ft. w. of Bishop-st., 50x100. 1,200

Hoboken.

Lot No. 28, block No. 126, Cooper estate, 25x100. ..... $800

West Hoboken.

Spencer-st., s. s., lot No. 14, block No. 3, Hilton's map, 25x100. ..... $1,200

CITY REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—NO. 78 4TH-AV.—FOUR-STORY brown-stone house; first-class; is in complete order; has been newly painted throughout; cost; has furnace. Apply to GEORGE A. HEARN, on the premises, or at No. 12 East 17th-st., or leave card at No. 128 East 17th-st., to leave key. Lot 25.4x92. Inquire as above.

FOR SALE—A FIRST-CLASS EXTRA-WIDE four-story brown-stone house, north side of West 20th-st., near 6th-av.; immediate possession; apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st., or on the premises, from 3 to 5 o'clock.

A CHOICE PLOT.—A VALUABLE WATER-FRONT, 50x200, and dock on Harlem River, at Hunt's-pt., for sale. G. LEPINASSE, No. 3 Pine-st.

A FIRST-CLASS HOUSE AND SIX LOTS, near the grand Boulevard and 150th-st., for sale or exchange. G. LEPINASSE, No. 3 Pine-st.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT, FURNISHED.—A Four-story brown-stone house, well built, convenient and well furnished. Apply on premises, No. 240 East 60th-st.

$27,000.—A SMALL BROWN-STONE FRONT, perfect gem; completely tenantable, in 34th-st. HATCH & RIEHL, No. 1,269 Broadway.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE AT MORRISTOWN, N. J.—The country seat of the late E. Boudinot Stevens, consisting of about fifty acres; about half a mile from the depot. There are on the premises a very large and costly mansion, containing more than twenty rooms, with all modern improvements; farm-house and two small tenements, barns, stables, &c. Also, a large house filled with plants, stone terrace, fifty feet long, carpet out-buildings; cottages and ground in good order; fruit in high state of cultivation. In addition to former approach to the premises a new, passing under a railroad bridge has been made during the past year, thereby avoiding the necessity of using the railroad crossing. For further particulars apply to F. W. SMITH, No. 31 William-st., or F. S. HAYS, No. 113 William-st., in the City of New-York.

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ADRIAN H. MULLER, B. P. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction, on THURSDAY, Sept. 15, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, by order of Messrs. Miller, Schmelzer, Packinger, the undivided half interest in the valuable property described as follows:

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QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL'S OFFICE, PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 7, 1870.

Will be sold at public auction, at the Schuylkill Arsenal, Philadelphia, Penn., on WEDNESDAY, Oct. 12, 1870, at 10 o'clock A. M., a large amount of Clothing, Camp and Garrison Equipage and Quartermaster's stores.

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BANKRUPT NOTICES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York. In the matter of ROBERT BURGESS, of whom a petition has been filed by him to be adjudged a bankrupt, that the hearing on said petition will be held before the Court of Bankruptcy, Southern District of New-York, at Utica, N. Y., at the hotel, on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1870, at 10 o'clock A. M., when and where a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Robert Burgess, of Jewett, in the town of Jewett, in the County of Greene and State of New-York, who has carried on business for the six months next preceding the date of the filing of his petition in said District of New-York, and that the said petition be heard and determined at the time and place aforesaid, when and where creditors, if any, may attend and show cause why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted; and that notice of the time and place of the hearing of said petition be published in the Times, a newspaper printed in said District of New-York, and be posted up in the Court-house in said County of Greene, on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1870, at 11 o'clock A. M. Dated Sept. 12, 1870. GEORGE H. SHIRPS, United States Marshal, as Messenger.

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Persons of prominence going to Europe on the Continent of Europe, who can afford the expense of a courier, should never leave Paris without one; their services are invaluable to the travellers; they attend to all the arrangements of luggage; in a word, they are a great comfort and relieve travellers from all trouble and annoyance. Gentlemen and ladies can obtain the best and most reliable couriers in Paris, at the Bureau of Messrs. Cook, Son & Co., No. 1 Place de l'Opéra, Paris. Circulars and advertisements of the Company may be had on application at the Company's Office, No. 1 Place de l'Opéra, Paris, or at the Company's Office, No. 1 Place de l'Opéra, Paris.

UNITED STATES PASSPORT BUREAU.—United States passports, obtainable by application at the office of J. B. MOREAU, Passport Agent, No. 27 Broadway.

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FOR SAVANNAH, GA., AND THE SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST.
GREAT SOUTHERN FREIGHT AND PASSENGER LINE STEAM-SHIPS AND CENTRAL RAILROAD OF GEORGIA.
GREAT REDUCTION IN PASSENGER RATES TO ALL POINTS IN THE INTERIOR.
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THE STEAM-SHIPS
HERMAN, LIVINGSTON.....Capt. CHESEBROUGH
THURSDAY, Sept. 15, from Pier No. 8 North River, at 3 P. M.
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MONTGOMERY, Capt. FARNSTON, SATURDAY, Sept. 17, from Pier No. 13 North River, at 3 P. M.
E. LOWDEN, Agent, No. 5 Bowling-green.
CLEOPATRA, Capt. FERLEIN, TUESDAY, Sept. 20, from Pier No. 13 East River, at 3 P. M.
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THE NEW STEAMER W. W. COIT will sail for Lewes, Del., MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 5 P. M., taking freight for all points on the Peninsula and Eastern shore, Norfolk, Newport News, Baltimore and Washington. SATURDAY, EXCURSION DAY and SATURDAY, at 12 M.
Special sailing to Lewes.
For freight and passage apply at office on pier.

FINANCIAL.

ELIZABETHTOWN & PADUCAH RAILROAD, OF KENTUCKY, FIRST MORTGAGE 8 Per Cent. Twenty-Year Convertible Bonds.

This Road, connecting the important points of Louisville and Paducah, is 185 miles long and passes through a rich agricultural and mineral section of the State of Kentucky, the traffic of which, it is believed, will be abundantly remunerative.

Nearly the whole line is under contract, and large quantities of the rails are already in and ready for use.

The stock subscriptions (of which the City of Louisville subscribed $1,000,000) amount to $2,000,000.

To pay the rails and complete and equip the road, THREE MILLION DOLLARS of First Mortgage Convertible Bonds have been authorized, bearing eight per cent. interest, payable semi-annually at the BANK OF AMERICA, in the City of New-York, on the 1st days of March and September.

These Bonds are the only lien upon the property and franchises of the Company, and are deposited with the UNITED STATES TRUST COMPANY OF NEW-YORK, which will pay over the proceeds of the bonds to the Railroad Company only in the ratio of construction.

The most right and ample provisions have been inserted to protect the interests of the bondholders by every legal safeguard. The bonds can be converted into stock at the option of the holder for seven years after the completion of the road. The management is in the hands of some of the most responsible and favorably-known business men of Kentucky. With the guarantee of their able and faithful direction, and the large amount of stock subscribed, these bonds form a very safe and desirable investment.

The price of the bonds at present is 87½ and accrued interest.

Any further information will be furnished upon application to the undersigned.

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4 PER CENT. ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS

LAKE SHORE AND MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY SEVEN PER CENT. Consolidated Mortgage Sinking Fund Bonds.

The Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway Company, for the purpose of providing for the payment of the several mortgage debts as they become due, has executed a mortgage to the Union Trust Company, of New-York, as trustee, upon the whole of the railroad and its branches, payable on the 1st day of July, in the year 1900.

COUPON BONDS, of $1,000 each will be issued, with interest at SEVEN PER Centum per annum, payable semi-annually, on the 1st day of JANUARY and JULY in each year, and REGISTERED BONDS of $1,000, $5,000 and $10,000 each, without Coupons, interest at SEVEN Per Centum per annum, payable quarterly on the 1st day of JANUARY, APRIL, JULY and OCTOBER, in each year, principal and interest payable at the office of the Union Trust Company of New-York.

We call the attention of investors especially to this class of REGISTERED BONDS, which, on account of the SECURITY AFFORDED AGAINST LOSS BY THEFT, OR OFFENTIMES BY THE PAYMENT OF QUARTERLY INTEREST, offer an investment peculiarly desirable.

A limited amount of these BONDS can be purchased at 97½, and accrued interest, upon application to

ROBINSON, CHASE & CO., No. 11 Broad-st.

STOUT & DICKINSON, BANKERS, NO. 32 BROAD-ST., CORNER EXCHANGE-PLACE, NEW-YORK.

Government Securities, Gold, Stocks and Bonds bought and sold on commission. Accounts received and interest allowed on balances, which may be checked for at sight, same as at bank.

A. V. STOUT, President Gold and Stock Exchange Bank.
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AGENCY OF THE BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, No. 27 NASSAU-ST.

Demand and time bills of exchange, payable in London and elsewhere, bought and sold at current rates; also, cable transfers.
Demand drafts on Scotland and Ireland, also on Canada, British Columbia and San Francisco. Bills collected, and other banking business transacted.
JOHN PATON, ROBERT MCMILLAN, Agents.

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Issue letters of credit on London and Paris, available in all the principal cities of the Continent. Buy and sell exchange on London, Paris, Amsterdam, Hamburg and Germany.

MENOMINEE MINING COMPANY.
A meeting of the Board and stockholders of the Menominee Mining Company will be held at the office of Stokes, Taylor & Co., No. 21 Nassau-st., on FRIDAY, Sept. 16, at 12 M.
It is important that all should be present, or be represented by proxy, as business of great importance will come before the meeting.
CHAS. J. WELLS, Secretary.

OHIO AND MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY COMPANY, OFFICE NO. 53 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, SEPT. 12, 1870.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Bond and Stockholders of the Ohio and Mississippi Railway Company, for the election of three Directors to fill the vacancies caused by the expiration of the terms of service of William L. Ransom, Joseph W. Alsop, of New-York, and Lewis Anderson, of Cincinnati, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before them, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 53 Wall-st., City, Cincinnati, OHIO, on THURSDAY, Oct. 13, 1870, at 10 o'clock A. M. The transfer books will be closed from 3 o'clock P. M. on the 20th day of September until 10 o'clock A. M. on the 13th day of October.
By order, E. D. HAMMOND, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of the Grand Tower Mining, Manufacturing and Transportation Company, and the election of Directors, will be held in the City of New-York, at the office of GRANT & VIP, No. 16 Wall-st., on TUESDAY, Oct. 4, 1870, at 12 o'clock, noon.
JOHN OHLIG, Secretary.

$3,000. FOR SALE—A 7 PER CENT. Bond and Mortgage at 8 per cent. discount and due in about three years; and semi-annual interest always prompt and sure. Also, 10 other mortgages on improved New-York City real estate, with the remainder of loans. Address, for one week, R. H. Box No. 101 Hudson Buttedge, N. J.

FINANCIAL.

8 per Cent. Interest FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS.

Principal and Interest Payable in Gold.

The First Mortgage Eight Per Cent. Gold Bonds of the ST. JOSEPH AND DENVER CITY RAILROAD COMPANY are for sale by the undersigned. Price, 97½ and Interest. The earnings of Missouri business in 1869 were $1,000,000 on 121 miles of road, of which 40 miles are completed, and the grading of the balance finished, while the iron and materials are on the track to complete it.

This road, completed and about being finished, together with rolling-stock, lands, property of every description, and franchises, is mortgaged to the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company in trust for the security of these bonds. This property has a value more than double the amount of this mortgage. The net earnings of the Company are specifically on the trust-deed, and are in excess of the amount required to pay the interest on these bonds. The payment of the bonds and interest principal is therefore fully secured. The bonds are in denominations of $1,000 and $500. Interest payable semi-annually in New-York, London or Frankfort on the Main. We unhesitatingly recommend these bonds, and will furnish maps and pamphlets upon application.

W. P. CONVERSE & CO., No. 54 PINE-ST.
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THE National Trust Company, OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK, No. 250 BROADWAY.

CAPITAL - $1,000,000
DEPOSITS, OVER $5,000,000.

PAYS 4 PER CENT. INTEREST ON DEPOSITS SUBJECT TO CHECK AT SIGHT.
PAYS 5 PER CENT. INTEREST ON SPECIAL DEPOSITS FOR SIX MONTHS OR LONGER.
THE COMPANY IS A LEGAL DEPOSITORY FOR MONEYS PAID INTO COURT, AND RECEIVES MONEYS IN TRUST.

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Issue Letters of Credit for travelers payable in any part of Europe, Asia, Africa, Australia and America. Draw Bills of Exchange and make telegraphic transfers of money on Europe and California.

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ISSUE COMMERCIAL AND TRAVELLERS' CREDITS AVAILABLE IN ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ST. LOUIS, MO., ST. LOUIS, July 14, 1870.
To the Honorable the Controller of the Currency, Washington, D. C.:
SIR: It is hereby certified, in pursuance of section 41 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to provide for a national currency secured by a pledge of United States bonds, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof," approved June 3, 1864, that at a meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of St. Louis, located at the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, duly notified and held pursuant to the 23d section of said act, association of said bank at the office of said bank, in St. Louis, aforesaid, on the 14th day of July, 1870, it was voted by the stockholders of the said association, owning more than two-thirds of the stock, that said association go into liquidation and be closed on the 16th day of July, 1870.
In testimony whereof I have, by instruction of the Board of Directors, hereunto set my hand, this day ascribed my name and affixed the seal of the association, at St. Louis, aforesaid, the day and year above written.
[Seal.] CHRISTIAN FISCHERACH, Cashier.
NOTICE.—The First National Bank of St. Louis, organized under the act of Congress entitled "An act to provide a national currency secured by a pledge of United States bonds, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof," approved June 3, 1864, located at the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is closing up its affairs. All note-holders will call at the office of the Cashier, in the above-named city, and receive payment of their notes and other claims against the association.
CHRISTIAN FISCHERACH, Cashier.
ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 14, 1870.

THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE Proprietors of the City of Brooklyn are hereby notified to attend a meeting at the office of the Company, No. 40 Exchange-place, room No. 15, on MONDAY, Sept. 19, 1870, at 3 o'clock P. M., by order of the Board of Directors.
GEORGE W. ABEE, Secretary.

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA AND WESTERN RAILROAD COMPANY, NO. 23 EXCHANGE-PLACE, NEW-YORK, SEPT. 12, 1870.
NOTICE.—TRANSFER BOOKS WILL BE closed from this date until 20th September prox. By order of the Board of Managers.
A. J. ODELL, Treasurer.

SAVINGS BANKS.

All deposits made on or before Oct. 1 will draw interest from that date. $1 to $5,000 received.
SIX PER CENT. INTEREST PAID.

THIRD-AVENUE SAVINGS BANK, Corner 84-st. and 3d-av.
Open daily from 10 A. M. to 2 P. M.
And on Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday evenings from 6 to 8 o'clock.

UNION DIME SAVINGS BANK, No. 336 and 338 Canal-st., corner Laurens-st.
SIX PER CENT. INTEREST ON $5 TO $2,000.
Money deposited now will bear interest from Oct. 1.
TRUSTEES, $2,000.
R. J. MADDEN, JOHN MCLEAN, President.
W. S. WHITLOCK, C. S. GRAPIN, Treasurer.
Vice-Presidents. F. S. ARMOUR, Secretary.

DIVIDENDS.

THE NEW-YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY, TREASURER'S OFFICE, ALBANY, Sept. 10, 1870.
THE DIRECTORS OF THIS COMPANY have declared a dividend of FOUR (4) PER CENT. on the capital stock of the Company, payable the 15th day of October next, at the office of Messrs. Duncan, Sherman & Co., in the City of New-York.
They have also declared a like dividend of FOUR (4) PER CENT. on the "Consolidation Certificates" issued by the Company, payable on the same date, at the office of the Union Trust Company in the City of New-York.
The transfer books will be closed at the close of business on Thursday, the 15th day of September next, and will be reopened on the morning of Wednesday, the 19th day of October next.
E. D. WORCESTER, Treasurer.

OFFICE OF THE NORWICH AND NEW-YORK TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, NORWICH, CONN., SEPT. 9, 1870.
A DIVIDEND OF EIGHTEEN (18) PER cent. from the earnings of the Company has this day been declared by the Directors, payable Sept. 20, 1870, to those who may be stockholders on that date. The transfer books will close Sept. 14, to reopen Sept. 21, 1870.
C. C. JOHNSON, Treasurer.

THE JEFFERSON INSURANCE COMPANY will pay Scrip, free of tax, on demand, at their office, No. 113 Broadway.
WM. E. FLOWERY, Secretary.
NEW-YORK, Sept. 12, 1870.

PENS.

WASHINGTON MEDALLION PENS. Distribution of $9,000 of the fourth series of the Fund. See the bulletin of the Company in the Tribune of Mondays.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—BANK-BOOK NO. 280,962 OF THE Bowery Savings Bank. The finder will please return it to the bank.

LOST—BLACK BOOK NO. 67,162, OF THE Greenwich Savings Bank. The finder will be rewarded by returning it to No. 239 West 17th-st.

LOST—BANK-BOOK NO. 28,628 ON EAST River Savings Bank. The finder will please leave it at the bank, No. 2 Chambers-st., New-York.

BOARDING AND LODGING.

MRS. F. W. PUTNAM, No. 4 Footh-st., Madison-avenue, has a complete suite of rooms to let, with private table only.

TWENTY-FIRST-ST., NEAR 6TH-AV.—Two unfurnished rooms, parlor, second and third floors, consisting of five rooms each, with private table; only parties desiring superior accommodations need applied. P. Box No. 24 Times office.

TWO OR FOUR PERSONS CAN BE accommodated with board in a private family where there will be no other boarders. Those willing to pay liberally for accommodations please address FAMILY, station H.

A PRIVATE FAMILY RESIDING IN 34th-st., between 4th-av. and Broadway, will let entire second floor, elegantly furnished, with or without private table; reference exchanged. Address W. C., Box No. 184 Times office.

HANDSOMELY-FURNISHED FRONT room at No. 129 West 45th-st. References given and required.

PARTIES WISHING FIRST-CLASS board will find handsomely-furnished rooms, en suite or single, at No. 128 Madison-av., second floor above 30th-st.

HANDSOMELY-FURNISHED ROOMS, en suite or singly, to families or single gentlemen, with good board; house and location first class; reference. Apply at No. 121 West 45th-st.

NO. 117 EAST 26TH-ST.—TO LET, WITH board, a front parlor and bedroom, to gentlemen for light housekeeping; with or without board. Reference required.

NO. 217 WEST 36TH-ST.—TO LET, furnished rooms, en suite or single, convenient for light housekeeping; with or without board. Reference required.

NO. 24 EAST 9TH-ST.—SECOND DOOR.—Front room to let; bedroom adjoining; board if desired; reference given and required.

TO LET—IN A FRENCH FAMILY, FIRST floor, front room, to a lady with all modern improvements, for one or more gentlemen; price from $20 to $25 per month.

NO. 53 WEST 32D-ST., BETWEEN Broadway and 5th-av., large and well-furnished rooms on the third and fourth floors, with superior board; references required.

NO. 20 WEST 22D-ST.—TWO VERY fine adjoining rooms, with or without board; table board good; accommodations for two gentlemen preferred; only to parties of good reference.

A PLEASANT FRONT ROOM AND board, with hot and cold water; also a single room to let, with or without board, to gentlemen; references.

A GENTLEMAN AND WIFE CAN find a pleasant two-story front room with a gentleman; board if desired; terms moderate; 34th-st., one door from Lexington-av.

THIRTY-FOURTH-STREET, NEAR 4th-av.—To let, two rooms, with board, on second floor; private table if desired; to let in suites. No. 150 West 30th-st.

WELL-FURNISHED ROOMS, EN suite or single, at first and second floors, to let, with board, or would furnish private table. No. 6 East 16th-st., near Broadway.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—TO A single gentleman, in a private family, in No. 45 East 20th-st., between 4th-av. and Broadway; reference exchanged.

NO. 316 20TH-ST., NEAR 3D-AV.; HANDsomely furnished rooms to let, with board, to single gentlemen, in a private family, where the comforts of home can be had.

NO. 27 WEST 35TH-ST., NEAR 6TH-AV.—Handsomely furnished rooms to let, with first-class board, suitable for gentleman and wife, or a party of single gentlemen. References required.

TO LET—WITH BOARD, OR FOR LIGHT housekeeping, a second floor. Apply at No. 147 East 27th-st.

AT MRS. WYCKOFF'S, NOS. 379 AND 381 4th-av., front adjoining Calvary Church, two elegant suites of rooms to let, with private table.

NO. 18 EAST 17TH-ST.—SUITES OF rooms, without board, for gentlemen only, between Union-square and 4th-av.

NO. 29 WEST 19TH-ST.—HANDSOME front rooms may be had with board by desirable parties; the house is large and family small.

TO LET—A ROOM AND BEDROOM, FURnished, without board, to a single gentleman, in a private family. Apply at No. 114 East 22d-st.

TWO GENTLEMEN CAN BE PLEASANTly accommodated with board at No. 61 3d-av.

NO. 117 EAST 17TH-ST.—FURNISHED rooms; with or without board.

TO LET—A NEATLY-FURNISHED HALL bedroom at No. 6 Union-square.

COUNTRY BOARD.

COUNTRY BOARD.—FOR FALL AND Winter; three or four rooms with board, in a pleasant farm-house eighty miles from the City; high and healthy location; terms moderate. Address H. R., Esopus, Ulster County, N. Y.

WEST POINT.—FIRST-CLASS BOARD CAN be had, for the Fall months, by applying to A. MEARNS, Jr., Highland Falls, Orange County, N. Y. References given and required.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—IN THE MATTER of the application of the Commissioners of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New-York, pursuant to the act of the Legislature, entitled "An Act relative to the opening and widening certain streets as laid out by the Commissioners of Public Parks, in the City of New-York. The Department of Public Parks, in the name and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New-York, pursuant to the act of the Legislature of the State of New-York, entitled "An Act relative to the powers and duties of the Commissioners of the General Term," passed April 14, 1869, and of the act entitled "An act to alter, alter, and amend an act, entitled "An act relative to the opening of certain portions of the City of New-York, and for the laying out and improvement of the same," passed April 24, 1867, hereby give notice that they intend to apply to the Supreme Court, in the First Judicial District of the State of New-York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held before Hon. Alex. Q. Oakley, Justice, in the New Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New-York, on Monday, the 10th day of October, 1870, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter; that the nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-second-street, from Tenth-avenue to Fort Washington-avenue, and the widening of One Hundred and Twenty-second-street, from the Boulevard to New Road, and the widening of One Hundred and Twenty-second-street, from Tenth-avenue to the Hudson River, eighty-three feet and one and three-fourths inches easterly from the easterly line or side of Tenth-avenue, westerly to New Road, as laid out by the Commissioners of Public Parks, in the City of New-York.—Dated New-York, Sept. 10, 1870.
RICHARD O'GORMAN, Counsel to the Corporation.

SUPREME COURT.—IN THE MATTER of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New-York, relative to the opening of Eighty-third-street, from Eighth-avenue to the New Road or Drive, and from Twelfth-avenue to the Hudson River, in the City of New-York.—The Commissioners of Public Parks, in the name and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New-York, pursuant to the act of the Legislature of the people of the State of New-York, entitled "An act relative to the powers and duties of the Commissioners of the Central Park," passed April 15, 1869, and of the act entitled "An act to alter, alter, and amend an act, entitled "An act relative to the opening of certain portions of the City of New-York, and for the laying out and improvement of the same," passed April 24, 1867, hereby give notice that they intend to apply to the Supreme Court, in the First Judicial District of the State of New-York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held before Hon. George G. Barnard, Justice, in the new Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New-York, on Friday, the seventh day of October, 1870, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter; that the nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the opening of Eighty-third-street, from Eighth-avenue to the New Road or Drive, and from Twelfth-avenue to the Hudson River, as laid out by the Commissioners of the Central Park in the City of New-York.
RICHARD O'GORMAN, Counsel to the Corporation.
Dated New-York, Sept. 12, 1870.

NOTICE.—SUPREME COURT.—IN THE matter of opening Riverside Park.—The subscribers, the above-entitled matter, give notice to the owners, lessees or other parties interested in any of the lands, buildings, or premises, to be taken or damaged by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, that they have filed in the office of Messrs. Duncan, Sherman & Co., in the City of New-York, any documents relative to their ownership of, or interest in, any of such lands, buildings or premises, at No. 27 Nassau-street, (Room No. 24), on any day prior to the 15th day of October next, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 1 P. M., or in default thereof, the awards for damages in said proceedings will be made in the Unknown Owners' Fund.—Dated Aug. 14, 1870.
HUGH SMITH, A. M. SWEENY, WM. M. TWEED, Jr., Commissioners.

MARBLE MANTELS.

S. KLABER & CO., NO. 323 WEST 33D-st., near 8th-av., manufacturers of Marble and Marbleized mantels, fireplaces, hearthstones; largest variety; cheapest in City.

MARBLE AND MARBLEIZED MANTELS of the latest imported patterns. Monuments of imported stone. A. SHARP, Marble Works, No. 124 East 13th-st., near Bway., N. Y.

MARBLEIZED SLATE MANTELS, MAP and photograph mounting. P. E. BERTHE & CO., No. 68 6th-av., between 13th and 14th-sts.

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WANTED—A PARTNER (ACTIVE OR special) with $20,000 to invest in a profitable staple business. Amount secured on the property. Address MANUFACTURER, Box 182 Post Office.

FOR SALE—THE STOCK, FIXTURES AND lease of the old established jewelry store, No. 66 Bowery; one of the best locations in the City. For further particulars apply at the store.

CLOTHING.

GENTLEMEN HAVING ANY CAST-OFF clothing to dispose of can get a fair price by calling on or addressing JAMES KIRKPATRICK, No. 46 Pearl-st., near Chatham.

AMUSEMENTS.

HALLE. GRISWOLD'S WILSON. MAIN-STREET CONCERT. Miss Cary and Mrs. Christine Nilsson having left Liverpool per Cunard steamer Cuba, on Saturday, 3d of September, will arrive in New-York, early in the week, when the first GRAND CONCERT will be presented, Friday evening, Sept. 16, the first of which will take place on MONDAY EVENING, Sept. 19, when Mrs. CHRISTINE NILSSON will be assisted by the following eminent artists:
Miss ANNIE LOUISE CARY, Contralto of the Royal Italian Opera, London.
Signor BRIGNOLI, the distinguished Tenor.
Signor F. VERGER, the Baritone of the Italian Opera, Paris, and the Royal Italian Opera, London.
Mr. HENRY VIEUXTEMPS, the world-renowned Violin Virtuoso.
THE GRAND ORCHESTRA will be under the direction of MAX MARETZEK.
SPECIAL NOTICE.—The managers have contracted to have ONE GENERAL WILSON TICKET OFFICE AT STEINWAY HALL, ON 14TH-ST., where the sale of seats will commence on TUESDAY MORNING, the 13TH SEPTEMBER, when reserved seats, for the entire series of SIX (6) GRAND WILSON CONCERTS, or ONE (1) GRAND WILSON CONCERT, or THREE (3) ALTERNATE WILSON CONCERTS, will be sold, and will be the only tickets to be sold, which will be the only tickets to be sold, which will be the only tickets to be sold, which

THE TURF.

The New-Haven Driving Park Association Fall Trotting Meeting—Two Excellent Trots—Shoo Fly the Winner of the Purse for 2:50 Horses, and Thomas Jefferson of the Purse for 2:30 Horses.

From Our Special Correspondent.

NEW-HAVEN, Tuesday, Sept. 6, 1870.

The Fall trotting meeting of the Driving Park Association, of this city, commenced today at Hamilton Park, under highly-favorable auspices. The weather was delightfully fine and pleasant, the attendance fair and the trotting of unusual excellence. The Association has been recently organized, and comprises some of the most influential citizens, who are desirous of elevating the trotting turf in this section, and of improving the breed and quality of the trotting horse. Their track, which is known by the title of Hamilton Park, is admirably situated about two miles from the city, amid charming scenery, and possesses every requisite, in the way of stand and judges' stands, stabling, &c., for a first-class trotting course. The racing is conducted under the rules of the National Trotting Association, and judging from the sport of the first day, it promises to be a successful meeting.

THE RACING.

The first race was for horses that had never beaten 2:50, for a purse of $600; the winner taking $300, the second $150, and the third and fourth horses $60 and $40 respectively. There were eight horses entered, of which four started—*Flora Day*, *Shoo Fly*, *Ned*, and *Belle of Waterloo*. *Shoo Fly* and *Flora Day* were alternately the favorites in the pool betting. *Flora Day*, driven by DAN MACK, won the first and second heats in 2:45¼, 2:45¾; but the old *Shoo Fly* then tired badly in the third heat, which was won by *Shoo Fly* in 2:44; still *Shoo* retained her place as favorite until *Shoo Fly* won the fourth heat in 2:45¾, when he became the favorite at $100 to $60 against the field. He won the fifth heat and race in 2:47 by two lengths, *Belle of Waterloo* being second in the last three heats. *Ned* was distanced in the second heat. *Flora Day* was awarded second money.

SUMMARY.

HAMILTON PARK, NEW-HAVEN, Sept. 6.—Purse $600, for 2:50 horses; mile heats, best three in five, in harness.

T. Fostering g. Shoo Fly	2	1	1	1	1
D. Mace's blk. m. Flora Day	1	2	2	2	2
A. Warner's blk. m. Belle of Waterloo	3	4	3	3	3
G. W. Pebbles's blk. m. Ned	4	dis			

Time—2:45¾, 2:45¾, 2:44, 2:47¾, 2:47.

The second race was for horses that had never beaten 2:36, for a purse of $600; the winner taking $300, the second $150, the third $100, and the fourth $60. Of the seven horses entered, four—*Jefferson*, *Thomas Jefferson*, *Lady Emily*, and *Belle of Toronto*—*Jefferson* had the call at $100 to $40 against the field, before the race commenced, and he won in three straight heats, *Lady Emily* taking second money, *Belle of Toronto* third, and *Berlin* distanced in the third heat. Time 2:29, 2:27, 2:28¾.

SUMMARY.

SECOND RACE.—Purse $600, for 2:36 horses; mile heats, three in five, in harness:

W. E. Smith's blk. s. Thomas Jefferson	1	1	1
J. Conly's b. m. Lady Emily	2	2	2
G. P. Carpenter's g. m. Belle of Toronto	3	3	3
E. A. Squire's b. g. Berlin	4	dis	

Time—2:29, 2:27, 2:28¾.

The Doncaster Meeting in England—Horse Park Races in Pennsylvania.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The Doncaster September meeting commenced today. The principal race was the Great Yorkshire Handicap of twenty-five sovereigns each, with 200 sovereigns added. The race was won by Sir C. LEGARD's ch. c. *Border Knight*, 4 years, by *Adventurer*, out of *Miranda*; Lord ZETLAND's br. h. *Géant des Batailles*, 5 years, by *Voltigeur*, out of *Sweetbriar*, second; Mr. JOHNSTON's bl. c. *Good Hope*, 4 years, by *Cape Flyaway*, out of *Maid of Kent*, third. The betting at the start was four to one against *Géant des Batailles*.

WILLIAMSPORT, Penn., Sept. 13.—The Herdic Park Races commenced to-day. The first race was for a purse of $1,000, mile heats, three in five, for horses that never beat three minutes. The race was won by *Frank*, beating *Gretna*, *Western Boy* and *Jennie Smith*. The second race was for a purse of $1,000, for running horses, half-mile heats, two in three. *Capitola* won in 50 and 48 seconds, beating *No Name*.

The Brooklyn Election Frauds—Confirmation by the General Term of the Decision of the Lower Court.

The General Term of the Supreme Court met yesterday in Brooklyn. The first business done was the promulgation of the decisions made at their last session in Poughkeepsie. Among other cases of interest was that of PATRICK MAHONEY, who was convicted in February last of willfully miscounting the votes cast at the last election in the Sixteenth Ward. The Court confirmed the decision. The case was considered a test in itself of the validity of the whole of the sentence. Along with MAHONEY, JAMES BUCKLEY, at present Justice of a Police Court; GEORGE BYRON, H. P. MAYO and MICHAEL HANNON were found guilty. This does not, however, close the matter; it will be carried before the Court of Appeals, when, should the action of the General Term be affirmed, the sentences imposed, ranging from ten days' to three months' imprisonment, will be enforced. Awaiting the result of the decision just rendered, Mr. MORRIS, District-Attorney, has held fifty-five other indictments for the same kind of offence, which he will bring up now be brought to trial at the earliest possible moment. District-Attorney MORRIS has steadfastly resisted every effort made to induce him to drop these cases, and sustained as he has been, by a Court, some members of which had previously ruled against these very indictments.

Fire at the Catholic Orphan Asylum on West Thirty-Ninth-street—Loss, $40,000.

Between 6 and 7 o'clock last evening, a fire broke out on the top floor of the Orphan Asylum of St. Vincent de Paul, in Thirty-ninth-street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. When the first alarm was given, there were about 200 children in the building, who were got out without accident, and removed, under escort of Sergt. LOWRY, to the House of the Sisters of Mercy, between Eighth and Ninth avenues. The damage done is estimated roughly at from $30,000 to $40,000. The institution occupies three large buildings, six stories high, Nos. 209, 211, and 213 West Thirty-ninth-street, which are said to be very much damaged. They are insured, but the amount and the names of the companies are not yet known. During the firemen's efforts to extinguish the flames, one of them attached to Hook and Ladder Company No. 2 was overcome by the heat and smoke, and was taken to the Twentieth Precinct Station-house. He was attended by Dr. ARMSTRONG, and afterwards taken to his residence, No. 301 Third-avenue.

Panic on a Ferry-Boat—Several Persons Injured.

Upon the ferry-boat *New-Brunswick*, plying between Cortlandt-street and Exchange-place, Jersey City, an accident occurred last night, which was well nigh attended with fatal consequences, and which for a time created intense excitement and confusion among the passengers. As the boat neared the Jersey City side at about 8 o'clock P. M., the passengers crowded forward, according to custom, to get the first leap for the bridge. A spacious horse attached to a wagon, in which were two men, stood on the bridge, where it was snorting and trembling at the rapidity of the boat's movement. When at last the boat struck the bridge, the horse sprang forward among the passengers, who were eagerly elbowing toward land. Two men, a woman, and a boy were knocked down and trampled under the feet of the animal, who had become entirely unmanageable. He was caught by the bits and backed over the chains, else more severe consequences might have resulted.

Funeral of the Late Gen. Edwin F. Cooke.

The remains of Gen. EDWIN F. COOKE, late Secretary of Legation of the United States at Chili, brought to this country by Major-Gen. KILPATRICK, will be taken to his late home in Sussex County, N. J., where the funeral will take place on Friday next. The friends of the General, and ex-officers and soldiers of the Harris Light Cavalry and of Gen. KILPATRICK'S Cavalry Division, are earnestly requested to attend. Carriages will be in waiting at the depot in Newton, N. J., on the arrival of the S. A. M. train from New-York. Gen. KILPATRICK is expected to pronounce the funeral oration.

The Southern Transcontinental Railway.

The corporators named in the charter given by the State of Texas, at its last session, to the Southern Transcontinental Railway Company, met at the Sun Building, at noon yesterday, Gen. PRESCOTT, President, in the chair. There were also present Gen. MORGAN C. HUNTER, Vice-President; Hon. J. D. DEFRESNE, Secretary; MARSHALL O. ROBERTS, Treasurer, and about twenty other gentlemen. A committee, consisting of Gen. Banks, Gen. Hunter, Gen. Throckmorton, J. W. Tibbets, John W. Furney, R. W. Cuyler and Gen. Buell, appointed at a former meeting to draw up a report on the charter, handed in their report. It was of a highly satisfactory character, and spoke in glowing terms of the natural resources of the State of Texas. The Committee consider the powers conferred by the State of Texas in the charter very liberal. The line is of the highest importance, as opening up the mineral resources of Northern Mexico and other hitherto undeveloped States, and will secure to the United States the commerce of those regions, and they recommend the line to the favorable consideration of Congress. The report was unanimously adopted. A committee of five was appointed to prepare subscription books, and the meeting then adjourned.

A SINGULAR VERDICT.

The Hunter's Point Murder—No One Identified—The Coroner Dissatisfied With the Verdict.

The inquest on the body of WM. JONES, shot at Hunter's Point on the night of the 12th of June, which was commenced before Coroner WHITEHILL, at the Morgue, Willoughby-street, Brooklyn, July 26, closed yesterday afternoon, and after a lengthened sitting, the jury returned the following verdict: "That Wm. Jones, the deceased, came to his death by pistol wounds inflicted by a pistol wound inflicted at Perry-street, Hunter's Point, Queens County, on the 12th day of June, 1870, and the jury are unable to determine from the evidence as to the person or persons who inflicted said wound." At some time, there and circumstances, all the witnesses and a large number of people, had gone to a row near the saloon of HENRY MCKENNA, commencing in his saloon, on the night of Saturday, June 11, between 11 P. M. and 3 A. M., the deceased was shot. PATRICK MCLAUGHLIN, JEREMIAH HEFFERN, JAMES GRAHAM, FREDERICK BRENNAN, EDWARD HYNARD, HEFFERN and his wife or MCKENNA all denied with the crime. JAMES GRAHAM and Mrs. MCKENNA, the brother-in-law and the wife of the suspected murderer, positively swore that MCKENNA at the time of the shooting was behind the bar, had no pistol during the evening, and had nothing to do whatever with the affray. DENNIS HEFFERN, whose testimony was given before the committing Magistrate before JONES had died, swore positively that MCKENNA ran out of the house with a revolver, shot twice at JONES, and Jones said him shot McKENNA shot him. This testimony was corroborated before Justice MADDEN by PATRICK MCLAUGHLIN, FREDERICK BRENNAN and EDWARD HYNARD, all of whom swore to the principal use. DENNIS HEFFERN, disappeared, and cannot be found, and the others seem to forget their testimony sworn to, signed, and on file in the District Attorney's office, Queens County.

Notwithstanding this positive evidence, the jury returned the verdict as given above. The Coroner stated that he was dissatisfied with it, but in view of the fact that the inquest has been so long and serious, and further, as MCKENNA is now locked up in the County Jail, having been committed by the jury, and HEFFERN, the principal witness, being at large, and he unable to find him, and HEFFERN being in possession of a $10,000 bond, bearing the name of the complainant. He was discharged on his own recognizance by the Court, the complainant not appearing. It transpired that the latter had left the City.

MICHAEL MURPHY, a longshoreman, of No. 4 Mulberry-street, was tried and convicted on an indictment for robbery. The testimony showed that he, together with another man, persuaded JOHN MCCANN, of Boston, to accompany them to a dining-saloon, in Robinson-street, and then they unmercifully robbed himself of a watch and a small amount of money. The prisoner was sent to State Prison for ten years. The Court then adjourned until this morning.

The Murder of Bernard Duffey—Verdict.

The inquest touching the death of BERNARD DUFFEY, who was murdered on the 8th inst. at No. 42 Little-street, by JAMES MOODY, was concluded, yesterday, by Coroner WHITEHILL. The evidence taken showed that DUFFEY was drunk at the time the affray took place, and that he had been annoying both MOODY and his wife for some previous time. On the afternoon in question they had had several quarrels before the fatal one occurred, and DUFFEY, on going out, took a stick in his hand, and declared to his wife that he would kill MOODY. The jury found this death to be caused by his death blows on the head, inflicted by JAMES MOODY. The murderer is still at large.

The Nathan Murder—A Verdict Expected Today.

At 1 o'clock today the jury will be sworn and at the City Hall by Coroner ECKERSON to conclude the inquest in the Nathan murder. No further testimony will be had, it is thought, and the only business of the day will be the presentation of the facts already in evidence to the jury, who will then render a verdict in accordance with them.

The Fall Season at Jerome Park.

The approaching Fall meeting of the American Jockey Club at the Jerome Park promises to be one of the most brilliant in the history of that organization. The stables are being rapidly filled with noble specimens of horse-flesh, and the entries are being hurried to completion. The opening will occur on Thursday, Oct. 6, and will doubtless be largely attended.

LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

NEW-YORK.

The steamer Plymouth Rock, which has just been withdrawn from the Long Branch route, and is now being stripped previous to going into Winter quarters, has had a most successful season. She has carried over 20,000 first-class passengers, without a single case of accident or injury to person or property. The greatest number of persons on board at one time was on the day of the yacht race, when she had 2,197 paying passengers, 63 "dead-heads," and a crew of 120, making 2,180. She often carried over 2,000 persons on her regular trips. The clean record of the steamer as to safety, and the entire absence of accident, is due to the great watchfulness of the Managing Director, M. B. SIMONS, and the care and competency of Commander L. W. TILTON and his officers, who were selected for their well-known abilities. Plans are already laid by the Narragansett Steamship Company to increase the attractions of this route, so that next season they shall eclipse the one just closed.

A pleasant party of ladies and gentlemen assembled at the corner of One Hundred and Ninetieth-street and Third-avenue, last evening, the occasion being the presentation of prizes to the successful carmen and carswomen who competed in the run on of the Empire Rowing Club, last week. Mr. STEPHEN GIRARD, President of the club, made the distribution. The first prize, consisting of a handsome gold watch, was given to Miss AMELIA SHERIDAN, of Ward's Island, the winner of the "Ladies' Race." Misses MARY KYLE, OLIVIA ROBERTS, MARY WALTON and ANNIE WILLIAMS were also presented with neat gold medals. Gold boats and medals were also given to Wm. H. Hayes, John Blue, John Bugler, Wm. Gladby, Daniel Ford, T. Wiley, Michael Byron, Clinton Kissam and others. The gathering subsequently enjoyed a collation.

The several regiments of the Second Brigade N. G. S. N. Y., will parade fully uniformed, armed and equipped for annual inspection and review of Twenty-ninth-regiment, the City of New-York, on the following order and on the following days, at 2 o'clock P. M., viz.: Fifth Regiment of Infantry on Monday, Oct. 10, 1870; Sixth, on Tuesday, Oct. 11; Eighteenth, on Wednesday, Oct. 12; Eighty-fourth, on Thursday, Oct. 13; Ninety-sixth, on Friday, Oct. 14.

A dog was discovered in the sewer opposite No. 21 East Thirteenth-street, yesterday, by Patrolman JOHN EMLOTH. There was but little damage done. The stock and fixtures contained about $500 damage, and were insured in the Metropolitan Company for $900, and a large amount belonging owned by Wm. MACKINS, of Avenue A, was damaged to the extent of about $100. FREDERICK WEBER was treated on suspicion of having set the fire in place.

At a meeting of the General Committee of the Workingmen's Central Union, held at their head-quarters, No. 748 Broadway, last evening, the following gentlemen were selected to secure a suitable hall for the purpose of holding a grand mass-meeting of the workingmen of New-York City: Gen. George W. Cole, Col. George W. Gibbons, John Heckler, Hiram Hollis, Thomas Geary.

The steam-ship *Roseville*, Capt. PORTER, from Havana, arrived at the pier, yesterday morning, and is moored in the Health Office by having yellow fever on board. The passengers and baggage are detained, and no communication is allowed with the vessel.

MARY DOHERTY was arrested last night and taken to the Seventeenth Precinct Station-house, on a charge of grand larceny. The officers found her in a shanty on the corner of Thirty-ninth-street and Tenth-avenue. It appears that this girl has been in the habit of inducing men to accompany her to a domestic, and after robbing them of a few days absconding with whatever valuables in the way of dress and jewelry she could get into her hands. In this instance the victims were FRANCIS T. REED, of No. 11 First-street, lost $200, and Miss FANNY DAUNERMAN, of Fifth-avenue, lost $100. The prisoner was one of the latter lady's dresses was found in the prisoner's possession at the time of the arrest.

An explosion of a tank for pressing lard-oil took place yesterday afternoon in the packing-house of J. A. ANDLING & SONS, on the corner of Washington and Morton-streets. A laborer named OWEN LYNCH, who resides at No. 101½ Bowing-street, was badly injured, and the building sustained damages to the amount of $1,000.

The following were the indications of the thermometer in the shade yesterday, at the hours mentioned, at WILLIAM P. BYRNE'S Mineral Water "Spa," No. 199 Broadway: 6 A. M., 70°; 9 A. M., 69°; 10 A. M., 70°; Noon, 71°; 3 P. M., 74°; 4 P. M., 72°; 6 P. M., 70°; 9 P. M., 69°; 10 P. M., 69°; 12 P. M., 68°.

The first annual regatta of the Manhattan Rowing Club takes place at Ninety-second-street, East River, next Friday, the 23d inst., at 3 P. M. There will be two races, with liberal prizes.

JAMES SMITH, Esq., for the past year the efficient City editor of the *Evening Express*, has resigned, and been succeeded by Mr. OLIVER H. LOWREY, well known as "Brown's young man," of the *Courier*.

Several days ago a report appeared in these columns, charging the conductor of car No. 73, of the East Broadway and Dry-dock line, with unbecoming conduct toward a lady passenger. The gentleman—Mr. J. F. SHEPARD—promptly contradicted the story, and offered the strongest proofs of his innocence, which, upon investigation, were found to be perfectly reliable. Our informant evidently mistook the number of the car, and thus unintentionally blamed an worthy individual, who feels deeply grieved in consequence of the error.

In the case of HENRY ELIAS or ERNESTINE ELIAS, which had been referred to ALBERT F. RUSKER to hear and determine the charges in the complaint, a judgment has been rendered in favor of plaintiff, and a decree of divorce entered thereon, on the only ground on which it can be obtained in this State.

The ferry-boats *Oneida*, of the Grand-street and Williamsburg line, and *Southampton*, of the Hunter's Point line, collided Monday. The loss of the rail of the former boat was the only injury.

Yesterday evening MARY J. WEBB, aged thirty-six, residing at No. 21 Spring-street, was found insensible, by Officer REILLY, at the corner of Thirty-ninth-street and Ninth-avenue. She was taken to the Twentieth Precinct, where she died shortly after. Her body was sent to the Morgue, and the Coroner notified.

At 9 o'clock last night, THOS. MCCOUVEY, charged with his sister-in-law, CATHARINE MCCOUVEY, at their residence, No. 429 First-avenue, and stabbed her in the left groin. The wound was dressed by Dr. ORTON, and is serious. THOMAS was arrested.

The members of the United States and Canada Railroad Commissioners' Life Insurance Company are to meet in annual Convention at Concert Hall, Philadelphia, on Wednesday, Oct. 5, at 10 A. M.

Yesterday evening a destitute Irishman, aged fifty, named JOHN BRENNAN, was found dead in a wood-house in the rear of No. 22 Worth-street. It is thought the cause was intemperance. The Coroner was notified.

G. F. WATERS, who resides at No. 69 North Moore-street, was knocked down and run over by a cart yesterday, at the corner of Broadway and Fourth-place. He was severely injured, and taken to the Park Hospital.

A child, named MATHEW DOLAN, aged four years, fell from the third story window of No. 301 Second-avenue, yesterday afternoon, and was instantly killed.

Last evening a German, named JOHN BAKER, while in the blacksmith shop, corner of Tenth-avenue and Fifty-fourth-street, was cut in the right wrist with a knife, by JOHN DWYER, who lives on Ninth-avenue, near Fifty-fifth-street.

BROOKLYN.

HENRY INKERMAN and JOHN MURRAY, both about eighteen years of age, were yesterday sentenced to two years' confinement in the State Prison, by Justice TROY, for breaking into the residence of Mr. WHITNEY, at No. 208 Adelphi-street, on the 15th of August.

JAMES MULDOON, a laborer by occupation, was arraigned before Justice WALSH, yesterday, for violently assaulting JAMES HOWDY, of No. 78 Butler-street, on Monday night. The accused, it is alleged, had drawn a pistol from his pocket, a dangerous instrument, and then inflicted and beat him so severely about the head that his life is considered in danger. The prisoner was held to await the result of the plaintiff's wounds.

The General Term of the Supreme Court commenced its September Session in the County Court yesterday, and will continue in session till Friday, when it will preserve that, at which time the decisions will be announced.

PATRICK BOYLE, a laborer, residing at the corner of Sixth-street and Sixth-avenue, fell from a canal-boat at the foot of North Eighth-street, last night, and was drowned. He leaves a wife and family.

A child named ELIZABETH MCCORMACK, residing at No. 82 Atlantic-street, set fire to her clothes last night, with a lighted candle with which she was playing, and was dangerously burned.

The Admiralty calendar will be made up today in the United States Court. The Court will adjourn for one month.

The Grand Jury were discharged yesterday morning.

LONG ISLAND.

JOHN ROSS, the Hunter's Point barber charged with outraging a number of young children of that place, was examined before Justice MADDEN, of Bliss-ville, yesterday, and fully committed, to await the action of the Grand Jury.

The wardens of the Church of the New-Jerusalem, of Riverhead, in consequence of a public announcement from the pulpit that scandal, changed in the doctrines of the church had taken place, have unanimously resolved to cease their relations with Rev. Q. C. LORD as minister.

A sloop of thirty tons was launched from the yard of S. HOSIER, South Haven, last Friday.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

The application of JOHN BUSHING, Jr., of Yonkers, for letters testamentary, in the matter of the will of his late father, came up before Hon. JOHN W. MITIS, Surrogate of Westchester County, yesterday morning. In opposition to letters of administration being granted to JOHN BUSHING, Jr., two married sisters claim that their father, JOHN BUSHING, was insane at the time he made the will, in 1864. MATTHEW BERRIAN, an insane expert by Hon. W. H. ROSENTON, of counsel for JOHN BUSHING, Jr., testified that he witnessed the execution of the will, and that he considered Mr. BUSHING perfectly sane at the time; that lawyer SUNDERLAND and Capt. WILLIAMS, JOHN BUSHING, Jr., were also present at the time. VAN FELIX A. CLARKE appeared as counsel for the contestants. The property involved is valued at $200,000.

The residence of Mr. GEORGE E. CANNOLL, on Stevens-avenue, Mount Vernon, was entered by burglars on Monday night, and robbed of a gold watch and some articles of silver-ware, valued at $200. The robbers entered the bedroom of Mr. and Mrs. CANNOLL while they were asleep, and took the watch from the top of a bureau.

NEW-JERSEY.

The corner stone of the First Baptist Church of Elizabeth, corner of Union-avenue and Prince-street, will be laid this morning, at 11 A. M. Addresses may be expected from Rev. H. M. GALLAHER, of Brooklyn, and Drs. FISH and DOWLING, of Newark, and in the evening a sermon by Rev. GEO. W. CLARK, of Balston Spa, (formerly pastor of this church.) Trains leave foot of Liberty and Cortlandt-streets every half hour.

Yesterday afternoon, an unknown man, about middle-aged, and dressed as a laborer, sailed on a Morris Canal boat Captain, at Jersey City, stating that he was out of money and asked for a ride to Newark. The Captain complied with the request and the man took passage. After having gone only a few miles, as the boat was passing under a bridge, at Bland's Crossing, he was standing on the bow of the boat and his head struck against the bridge, knocking him insensible. He after ward recovered sufficiently to converse a little, but before he stated his name or residence he began to sink rapidly, insensible to the last. Inquiry was made of the Captain of the boat, and he stated that he had taken the man off the canal at Belleville, where he was found by physician Dean viewed the remains, which are now at Compton's dead-house, in Newark, awaiting identification.

Information was received at the Second Precinct, Jersey City, a few days ago, of the intended robbery of a canal-boat by a gang of river-thieves, and officers were sent upon the watch. About 3 o'clock yesterday morning, while the officers were lying in the cabin, and lying in wait, a heavily-loaded boat attempted to pass and they seized it. About 300 pounds of railroad-iron was found in the boat. The commander was arrested, and was taken to the Police Station, where he gave his name as THOMAS FORD. He was committed for further examination.

Judge BEDLE yesterday opened the Fall Term of the Passaic County Courts at Paterson. The Grand Jury were sworn, and entered upon their labors without having any special charge to present. The Petit Jury, which came in the fall, the greater part of them awaiting the action of the jury. The Erie cases, 165 in number, are to be decided by the trial of a test case. The suits are brought for alleged overcharges. The trial of GOULD, FISK and KAMMON, for alleged conspiracy in putting up freight charges, will also come up.

JOHN MEADE, a member of the Shamrock Provident Club of Newark, was stabbed in a fight at a picnic in Orange, on Monday night. He is slightly injured—not fatally, as was reported in a morning paper, yesterday. Neither were there "seven men stabbed," and no "riot" occurred. WILLIAM FLAHERTY, an ex-coachman, was arrested as the assailant.

At 6 o'clock last night, as HENRY BLON, who keeps a saloon on the corner of Ermner and Mulberry streets, Newark, was about to open for the first time a patent gas-purifying and saving machine, the whole thing exploded, setting fire to the building. The flames were easily extinguished, but a little boy named CHARLES SYLLES, who stood near, was fearfully burned about the arms and face.

The Police of Newark were called upon late Monday night to arrest, for drunkenness and riot, an old couple, and his wife, aged between seventy and eighty years. The husband was covered with blood which flowed from a wound in the head of his wife he made with a club. He asserts that he did it in self-defense, after she threw the crockery at him. Both were much intoxicated. They were taken to the Station-house.

Hon. ORESTES CLEVELAND will deliver the address before the approaching State fair at Waverly, N. J. The time for making entries to the fair has been extended to Monday, the 19th inst.

An Englishman, named JOHN GRANT, alias Dublin Jack, who escaped from the jail in Newark, last May, by crawling through a sink, with two other prisoners, was recaptured last night by Deputy Warden GEO. H. JOHNSON.

ARMY AND NAVY RECORD.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Major N. Vedder is ordered to report immediately in person to the Commanding General of the Department of Missouri for assignment to duty. The resignation of Second Lieut. J. N. Denforth, of the Thirteenth Infantry, has been accepted by the President, at his own request. First Lieut. George P. Thyng, unassigned, is honorably discharged from the service of the United States, to take effect on Oct. 5, 1870. At his own request, First Lieut. F. A. Bailey is honorably discharged.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The market opened with American Securities and Stocks steady. At noon it was about the same; and so closed. The course of the market during the day is indicated by the following table:

	11½ A. M.	4½ P. M.
Consols for money	92¾	92¾
Consols for the account	92¾	92¾
United States 6-20s of 1862	89	89
United States 5-20s of 1865 (old)	89¼	89¼
United States 5-20s of 1867	89¾	89¾
United States 10-40s	85	85
Illinois Central Railroad shares	112¼	112¼
Erie Railroad shares	18	18
Atlantic & Gt. West. R. R. shares	23¼	23¼

FRANKFORT, Sept. 13.—United States Five-Twenty Bonds are quoted, at 89¾, for the issue of 1862.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 13—11½ A. M.—COTTON—The market opened with a fair inquiry at Saturday's quotations. Middling Uplands, 11½d.@11¾d.; Middling Orleans, 11¾d.@11¾d. The sales of the day are estimated at 10,000 bales. BREADSTUFFS—The market is quiet. 11 P. M. COTTON—The sales of the week reach 70,000 bales, since the last report have been 40,000 bales. BREADSTUFFS—Wheat, 6s. 9d.@9s. 10d. per cental for California White, and 6s. 2d. for No. 2 Red Western. The receipts of Wheat for the week are 57,000 quarters, of which 28,000 have come from Atlantic ports, and 29,000 from Western ports. Corn, 6s. 3d. per quarter for European. PROVISIONS—Lard quiet, 47s. P. M.—COTTON closed firm; Middling Uplands, 11¾d.; Middling Orleans, 11¾d.@11¾d. The sales of the day foot up 12,000 bales, including 3,000 for speculation and export. OATS, 2s. 3d. PEAS, 43s. TURPENTINE, 28s. 6d.

LONDON, Sept. 13—11½ A. M.—TALLOW firm at 44s. 3d. P cwt. LINSEED-OIL 37s. 6d. P. M.—Calcutta Linseed dull at 56s.

ANTWERP, Sept. 13.—PETROLEUM quiet and steady at 51½f. for Standard White.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 11.—American COTTON GOODS are quiet.

FRIENDS—To London, 21 tons, to New-York, 22. The steamer Pico, and the Challenge, Scottier, Lizzie Rodale, and Adelaide are on the berth, loading for New-York.

EXCHANGE—On London, 4s. 10½d., on Paris, 5f. 42½c.

BLACK TEAS—The business is moderate at Higher rates for good medium and finest kinds; stock, 8,000 chests.

GREEN TEAS—Settlements 20,000 packages, the market closing weak.

Two steamers are loading for New-York via the Suez Canal.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—EXCHANGE unchanged. FLOUR quiet and lower. WHEAT opened heavy and lower, WHEAT declining; sales at 97c.@97½c. cash, and seller last half the month, for No. 2; during the afternoon dull at 96¾c.@96½c. CORN declining, with the market heavy; sales at 41½c. for No. 2 for cash; afternoon, dull and unchanged. OATS declining; sales at 26¾c. for advancing; No. 2, 26¼c. BARLEY easier at $1.07@$1.07½. HIGHWINES firm at 86c. PROVISIONS—Pork, more active; Mess, cash, $13.50; LARD, 15½c.; Dry-salted SHOULDERS, 12½c. Live HOGS dull and lower at $9.20@$9.35 for common to choice. CATTLE very dull at $3.25@$7 for common to fine. Receipts—Flour, 3,000 barrels; Wheat, 19,000 bushels; Corn, 37,000 bushels; Oats, 3,000 bushels; Rye, 1,000 bushels; Barley, 1,000 bushels. Shipments—Flour, 4,000 barrels; Wheat, 44,000 bushels; Corn, 27,000 bushels; Oats, 5,000 bushels; Rye, 13,000 bushels; Barley, 3,400 bushels. Cumberland coal, 2,200 bbls. Flour, 37,000 bushels Wheat, 1,000 bushels Corn, 5,000 bushels Oats, 5,000 bushels Rye, 20,000 bushels Barley, 1,300 Hogs. Freights dull.

BUFFALO, Sept. 13.—RECEIPTS of Flour, 9,000 bbls; Wheat, 5,000 bushels; Corn, 12,000 bushels; Barley, 15,000 bushels. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 1,000 bbls; Wheat, 10,000 bushels; Corn, 40,000 bushels; Oats, 77,000 bushels; Barley, 27,000 bushels. Railroad SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 10,000 bushels; Corn, 4,000 bushels. Freights steady. ST LOUIS dull and unchanged. PITTSBURGH—Petroleum quiet at recent parcels; sales 5,000 bushels No. 1 Chicago at $1 10; 4,000 bushels No. 1 Milwaukee Club at $1 11; 7,000 bushels Amber Illinois Winter at $1 12. CORN dull but firm; sales 4,000 bushels No. 2 Western at 70½c., and part on private terms; 27,000 bushels Western sample at 68c. OATS firmer; sales in light sales 11,000 bushels No. 2 Western, in lots, at 40c. RYE weak and lower; sales 1,000 bushels Western at 1 05. Western offered at $1 08. BARLEY quiet at $1 05@$1 25 for Illinois Timothy. PORK dull at $13. LARD dull at 16c. CHEESE—HIGHWINES dull and nominal at 86c. P gallon.

OSWEGO, N. Y., Sept. 13.—FLOUR is 25c. lower on all grades; sales 1,000 bbls. at $5 25 for No. 1 Spring; $5 10 for Amber; $5 50@$5 75 for Winter; $6 25 for double Extra. WHEAT quiet; sales our lots No. 1 Milwaukee Club, $1 17, and No. 1 Red Winter, $1 23. CORN firm; sales 14,000 bushels, closing at 84c.@85c. OATS dull; sales 1,000 bushels Western at 40c. BARLEY quiet. RYE nominal. CORN-MEAL $1 20 for bolted; $1 10 for unbolted P cwt. MILL-FEED unchanged. Hops nominal; Shipments, 3,000 bbls. Flour, 1,000 bushels Wheat, 1,000 bushels Corn, 1,000 bushels Oats, 1,000 bushels Barley, 1,000 bushels Corn-meal, 500 bushels No. 1 Chicago at $1 10; 4,000 bushels No. 1 Milwaukee Club at $1 11; 7,000 bushels Amber Illinois Winter at $1 12. CORN dull but firm; sales 4,000 bushels No. 2 Western at 70½c., and part on private terms; 27,000 bushels Western sample at 68c. OATS firmer; sales in light sales 11,000 bushels No. 2 Western, in lots, at 40c. RYE weak and lower; sales 1,000 bushels Western at 1 05. Western offered at $1 08. BARLEY quiet at $1 05@$1 25 for Illinois Timothy. PORK dull at $13. LARD dull at 16c. CHEESE—HIGHWINES dull and nominal at 86c. P gallon.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 13.—TOBACCO heavy. COTTON dull and unchanged. HEMP firm. Flaxseed steady at $1 40@$1 42. FLOUR—Superfine steady at $3 25@$3 50. WHEAT—Spring opened 2c. lower, and closed weak; sales at 90c.@91c. for No. 2 Red Fall, $1 00@$1 01; steady, Fitzer, $1 00@$1 02; No. 1 at $1 10@$1 12. CORN—Mixed, 37c.@37½c. Oats, Prime White, 36c. OATS unchanged. RYE very dull and unchanged. BARLEY very dull and unchanged. HIGHWINES dull; jobbing, 86c. PORK heavy; Mess, $13 50. BACON steady; Shoulders, 14½c. @14½c.; Clear Rib Sides, 17½c.; Clear Sides, 18½c. LARD quiet and unchanged. CANDLES—Adamantine, 20c. for Good to Choice. Live HOGS steady at $8 50@$9 10 for Butchers. RECEIPTS—Flour, 5,000 bbls.; Wheat, 21,000 bushels; Corn, 4,000 bushels; Oats, 4,000 bushels; Barley, 4,000 bushels.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 13.—COTTON quiet; Middling, 19½c. FLOUR dull; City Mills declined 25c.; Howard-street Superfine, $5 50@$5 75; do. Extra, $6 75@$7 75; do. Family, $7@$8; City Mills Superfine, $5 50@$5 62; do. Extra, $6 75@$7; do. Family, $7@$8; Western Superfine, $5 50@$5 62; do. Extra, $6 75@$7; do. Family, $7@$8. WHEAT steady; Western better; Maryland Red Prime to Choice, $1 20@$1 25; Fair to Good, $1 15@$1 20; Common, $1 10@$1 12; Western, $1 20@$1 25. CORN scarce and in demand; White Southern, 85c.@90c.; Yellow do., 90c.@95c.; Western Yellow, 85c.@90c.; Western White, 85c. RYE dull at 65c.@70c. OATS dull and lower at 40c.@45c. PROVISIONS active. WHISKY—Better feeling, but prices unchanged.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 13.—FLOUR dull and declining; Family, $5 25@$5 50. WHEAT dull; Red Winter, $1 20@$1 30 for No. 1 and No. 1. CORN dull at 65c.@70c.; demand light. OATS dull at 35c.@40c.; Choice, 42c.@43c. RYE dull at 70c.@80c. BARLEY quiet. COTTON unchanged. PORK dull at $13 50@$14 00. LARD dull at 16c. BULK MEAT—Shoulders, 12c.; Clear Ribs, 14½c.; Clear, 15c. WHISKY nominally firm; Robbers, 85c. Mess PORK dropping at $13 25@$13 50. Bulk Meat dull; Shoulders, 12½c.; Clear Ribs, 14½c.; Clear, 15c. WHISKY dull; Robbers, 85c. BACON dull and easier; Shoulders, 14½c.; Clear Ribs, 16½c.; Clear Sides, 17½c. LARD dull at 16c. WHISKY dull at 85c.

LOUISVILLE, Sept. 13.—BACONS very firm at 15c. for Clear Sides. LARD weak at 15c. WHISKY quiet; Extra Family, $5 25. GRAIN dull and nominally unchanged. PROVISIONS firmer. Mess PORK, $27. BACON—Shoulders, 14½c.; Clear Rib Sides, 17½c.; Clear Sides, 18½c. LARD, 16½c. Superfine FLOUR, $5.@$5½c. WHISKY steady; Raw, 85c.@90c. TOBACCO firm; sales 107 hhds. at $4 75@$6 30 for Frosted Trash; $6 50@$8 for Common to Good Leaf; $8@$10 for Low to Good Lugs.

ALBANY, N.Y., Sept. 13.—WHEAT in good supply and limited request, with sales 20,000 bushels No. 2 Amber State at $1 23. RYE neglected, and nominal in value. CORN—Receipts, 1,000 bushels; Sales, 20,000 Western Mixed, in lots, at 75c.@76c. In BARLEY and BARLEY-MALT nothing doing. OATS steady, with sales 14,000 bushels Canada, afloat, on private terms, and 1,000 bushels Western, in store, at 45c.

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